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The Opium Menace:
Importance of the Present

To the Editor of the
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SIR,—The dive into the history of opium menace in China by one under the nom de plume of ANTI-OPIUM in your Sunday's issue, is indeed very interesting. Although I am not prepared to concede its authenticity but out of regard for your valuable space I shall refrain from taking issue and will revert to it at another occasion.

For the present, I should like to point out that even if all his allegations are true which I very much doubt, that menace has passed and the real opium menace confronting us today is the deluging with narcotics of the occupied territories by Japanese private parties with the consent and protection of the Japanese government. What the Chinese officials have been accused of, is of little import except as an issue in history but what the Japanese officials are doing today are of the greatest importance and effects vitally the lives of some 400 million Chinese.

Assuming that ANTI-OPIUM is anti-opium in fact as well as in name and it is only fair to give him the benefit of the doubt I suggest that he refrain from writing letters which appear to endorse the Japanese opium policy and Japanese opium activities in China. Surely, he does not wish the continuance of such activities and see the Chinese poisoned by the Japanese. If he is really ANTI-OPIUM, it would be better for him to join in the crusade against the opium traffic in Chinese territories under Japanese control instead of crying over spilt milk of opium traffic of yesteryears.

I am glad to see that the British and Indian delegates at Geneva have been active and outspoken against present narcotic distribution in China in spite of the fact that opium smoking in China could mean considerable less business for opium planters of India. I have no reason to doubt that all worthwhile British and Indians are glad that opium importation from India to China has ceased for these years and are proud that the Empire has no part in this nefarious trade.

C. L. H.

Shanghai, June 26.

Who are Guests?:
A Reader's Protest

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Of late there has been a good deal of sense commingled with some nonsense appearing in the valued correspondence columns of your esteemed journal anent the justice of Japan's unprovoked attack on this country, China. Whilst sympathizing with the inhabitants of this unhappy country in their many misfortunes, I can find no justification for the oft-repeated expression, that "foreigners are guests in this country." It has been used so often without being contradicted that they (the Chinese) have come to believe it. Strangely enough, it is invariably used to clinch an argument in which the native is coming off second best. Most dictionaries define a guest as a visitor received and entertained, so there can be no argument about this.

Let us now turn to the Land Regulations governing the International Settlement. There is, I believe, a clause therein stating specifically that Natives (meaning Chinese) may reside in the confines of this Settlement for the express purposes of carrying on trade and legitimate business. If true, it throws a curious light upon the reasoning faculties of the Sons of Han, who rely upon the use of this trite expression, "That foreigners are guests here," to confound the Nga-kok nyung within the gate. In fact such logic savours of distorted vision and perverted casuistry, for it is they who have been received as guests. Let me assume Chinese reasoning powers and pose this question to the man in the street (Chinese) "Where would you and yours have been now had not the International Settlement and French Concession opened their hospitable gates to you when the Japanese invasion began?"

I hope that Chinese correspondents using the foreign press in airing their views will in future refrain from making use of such a misleading tag as that which has brought forward this protest, thereby showing their respect and gratitude to their benefactors, the foreigners.

DE-PROFUNDIS.

Shanghai June 27.

Cost of Living:
Exchange of Information

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—An evening contemporary has devoted considerable space to the above subject in a recent issue and I feel confident that your own views would also be appreciated both by employers and employees.

The problem of adjustment is always a difficult one to solve satisfactorily from both points of view and it is more difficult when the employer has to refer the matter to a Board of Directors sitting in London or wherever it may be. In that event very definite evidence of hardship has to be provided to make a good case for sympathetic consideration, particularly in times such as the present when it is difficult even to determine the ways and means by which business interests in China can be continued. It is, moreover, necessary, or at any rate advisable, to do more than supply evidence of hardship. Directors, if ready to do anything at all, like to know that they are not being asked to do more than others are doing to deal with the situation and, therefore, if any information on this point can be given, the chances of securing the much desired sympathy may be greatly enhanced. It is, however, a point on which reliable information is most difficult to get as there is a natural objection on the part of heads of firms to disclose it or, on the other hand, to ask for it.

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The seriousness of the situation must be fully appreciated by those who have at heart the welfare of those whom they employ, but, in those cases where it is not possible to make an adjustment on the spot, some guidance such as I have mentioned would be a great help in obtaining the much wanted relief.

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Shanghai, June 27.

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A Little Self-Denial

To the Editor of the
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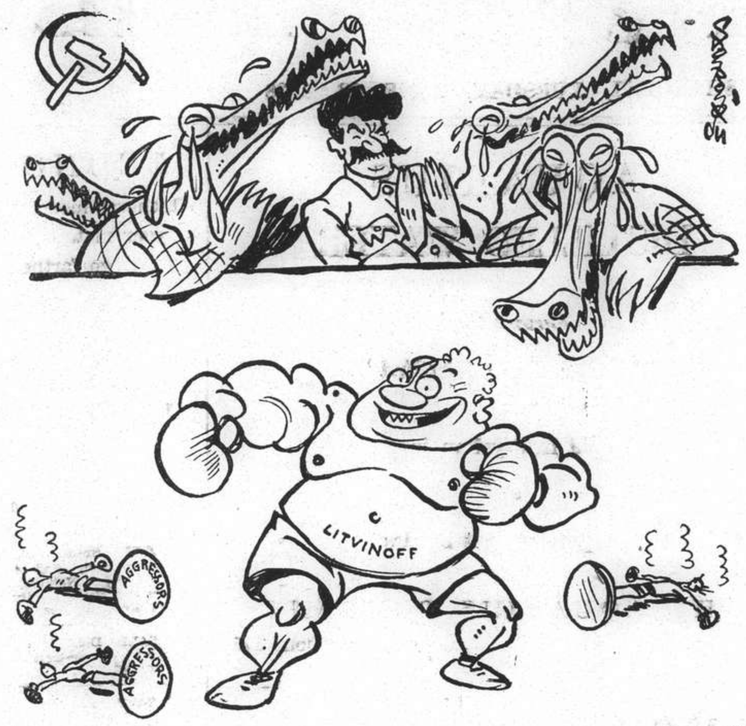
S. J. B.

Shanghai, June 27.



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Serman Preached in Bubbling Well Chapel By The Rev. W. H. Hudspeth on June 19

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This brings me to the subject of my discourse this evening. Today in all the Churches in England a thanksgiving service is being held to commemorate the setting up by authority of the English Bible. In 1538, King Henry VIII issued a Royal Injunction saying:

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Tonight I wish to review some of the translations of the Bible that have been made into the English language. The Bible which was set up 400 years ago was not quite the same as that used by you and me today. The Holy Book licensed by Henry VIII for public reading and sale was compiled by a man called John Rogers (c.1500-1555), the pioneer of the English Reformation, and its first martyr. John Rogers's Bible, known to students as 'Matthew's Bible' was divided into chapters, and the chapters into paragraphs, but not into verses. Our Bible was not divided into verses until the second half of the sixteenth century.

Matthew's Bible

Of the 1500 copies of the original edition few escaped destruction. The British Museum possesses three copies, one of which is nearly perfect. John Rogers who lived in dangerous times, probably used the pseudonym 'Thomas Matthew' so as to preserve himself from martyrdom and that is why the Bible was known as 'Matthew's Bible.' It did not save him however, and on Feb. 4 he was taken to Smithfield to be burned. Before the fire was kindled he was offered a pardon on condition of recantation, but this he refused; and, writes John Foxe, "he cheerfully took his death, with wonderful patience."

But John Rogers's was not the first English Bible, it was prepared from the version of two illustrious Englishmen, Tyndale and Coverdale, who had made earlier translations.

The translation made by Myles Coverdale (1488-1568), a Yorkshireman, had appeared in 1535. Those of you who have grown up in the Church of England will know that the incomparable rendering of the Psalms used in the Book of Common Prayer is that of Coverdale. But Myles Coverdale, in the New Testament especially, closely follows the work of William Tydale (c.1490-1536) a clergyman of Gloucestershire, his native country.

As Wm. Tyndale moved about the country he became more and more impressed and saddened by the ignorance of both the clergy and the common people many of whom did not even know who was the author of the Lord's Prayer! The root of the trouble was that very few people knew anything about the New Testament, for there was no copy of it in English which they might read.

Tyndale's Determination

Young William Tyndale made up his mind that he would bring the New Testament to his countrymen by translating it into English. One day he was talking over the matter with a learned man, who said it was more important to have the Pope's law than God's law. This was part of Tyndale's reply to him: "If God spare my life, ere many years I will cause the boy that driveth the plough shall know more of the Scriptures than thou dost." But he had set himself a difficult and dangerous task, for there was a law to the effect that nobody must translate the Scriptures on his own authority. After a great deal of hardship, Tyndale found a good friend in London, a cloth merchant named Humphrey Monmouth, who helped him to go to Germany.

In days of persecution laymen have always proved friends of the clergy. In Germany after braving many difficulties Tyndale finished his translation of the New Testament and had it printed. Copies of it were taken to England secretly. Some of them were seized and burned, but soon English people came to know about the book, and more and more copies of it found their way into English homes where they were eagerly read.

His Enemies

But Tyndale's enemies pursued him abroad, and at last he was betrayed and imprisoned, and finally condemned to die as a heretic. Such was the sincerity and goodness of his life, that, during his imprisonment of a year and a half, his keeper, the keeper's daughter, and others of his household became convinced Christians. When William Tyndale was taken out to die he was still longing that the people of England might have the Bible in their own tongue. His last recorded words were the prayer: "Lord, open the King of England's eyes." We rejoice today that his prayer was answered, for within two years King Henry the VIII, ordered through his minister, Thomas Cromwell, that a copy of the Bible in English was to be placed in every parish Church.

A hundred and forty years before Tyndale's day John Wycliffe (d.1384), another Yorkshireman, had made an English version of the Bible. Wycliffe himself had translated the New Testament but much of the Old Testament had been prepared by his disciples. Wycliffe's Bible had a wide circulation but it could not become the property of the common people since in those days printing had not been invented. The manuscript had to be copied by hand and in ancient Britain men and women sat in the silence of their cells slowly copying out letter by letter the pages of the Scriptures, watching patiently month after month the volumes grow beneath their hands. What a moving picture! In those days the price of a Wycliffe Bible was equal to £40 of our money. A considerable sum was paid for even a few sheets of the manuscript, a load of hay being given for permission to read it for one hour a day and those who could not afford such expense adopted what means they could. A touching incident is that of Alice Collins being set for to little gatherings "to recite the ten commandments and parts of the Epistles of St. Paul, which she knew by heart."

A translator, 350 years before Wycliffe's time, was no less a person than King Alfred the Great (871-900) whose patriotic wish has been so often quoted, "that all the freeborn youth of his kingdom should employ themselves on nothing till they could first read well the English Scripture."

Authorized Version

There is not time to tell the story of the Authorized Version from which our lessons were read this evening. You all know that appearing in 1611 this version, the noblest monument of English prose, became part of the nation's life-blood and in the words of historian Green "England became the people of a book, and that book was the Bible." The Authorized Version rooted itself in England like one of her own oaks. It moulded the nation's thought, and played no small part in giving us the freedom of which we are so justly proud. There has been no power at work in England comparable to the power of this book and no one can calculate what it has done for the education of the race. It has become part of our everyday speech.

Here is a list of Biblical phrases cited from a recent volume: "Highways and hedges," "hip and thigh," "arose as one man," "lick the dust," "a thorn in the flesh," "a broken reed," "The root of all evil," "The nether millstone," "The sweat of his brow," "heap coals of fire," "weighed and found wanting."

Crowded Out

But alas! today the Bible is 'crowded out.' Mothers no longer have time to tell their children the great Bible stories and fathers are too busy reading their newspapers. The more attractive rivals of the cinema, and motoring and playing bridge or mah-jong have left us no time to read the Word of God. And the world is poorer, more harsh and cruel because of this. It is the irrefutable belief of the Christian Church that with a wider knowledge of the Bible moral considerations would count for more in our public life; people would be more just and kindly; the oppression of the weak would be more detested; and people would have a clearer vision of the essential meaning of civic, national and international liberty.

Since the English Bible has played so large a part in the life of the English-speaking peoples is there any means by which we might preserve and restore the habit of Bible reading? As time passes it is going to become increasingly difficult so there is no time to be lost. There is one thing that you and I can do. In the presence of the Cross, a symbol of Christ's love, we can solemnly vow that we will read the Bible daily, and if we make this promise let us allow nothing to cause us to break it. It may be in the morning or after tea or in the evening but if we form the habit we will always have time.

The words with which the Bible was presented to the King in the great ceremonial of his Coronation express the truth which a careful study of English history reveals:

"Our most gracious King: we present you with this Book, the most valuable thing that this world affords. Here is wisdom; this is the royal Law; these are the lively Oracles of God."

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS," OF JUNE 28, 1878

The "Sin Pao" reproduces thus the remarks of our evening contemporary regarding the Colonial Empire of Great Britain. "For years England has been adding to her colonies, and now in every quarter of the globe, north, south, east and west they flourish. The reason for this extension is that 100 years ago, when the United States was a British Colony, she was treated by England with excessive tyranny; she rebelled and set up as an independent State, and the ruler of England could not conquer it. England was deeply convinced of her error, and ever since the rebellion her colonies have been treated in the most fair way, and so governed that now they never break off, but daily increase. Besides the mother-country and the Indian Empire, England in recent years has founded three colonies in Europe, six in Asia, ten in Africa, eleven in America and eight in the Pacific Ocean and Australasia—38 in all. The yearly expenses of governing are £2,000,000, but the profits resulting from inter-colonial trade are ten times that sum, and the wealth of England is such that all countries borrow from her. England must indeed be rich, and her merchants skilful in business to have produced this result."

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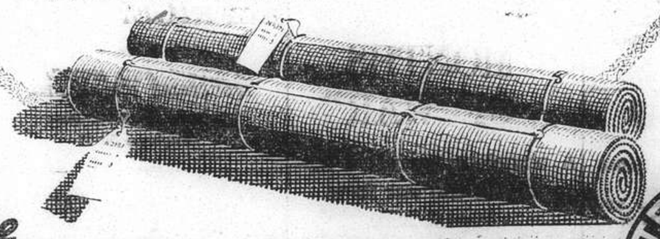

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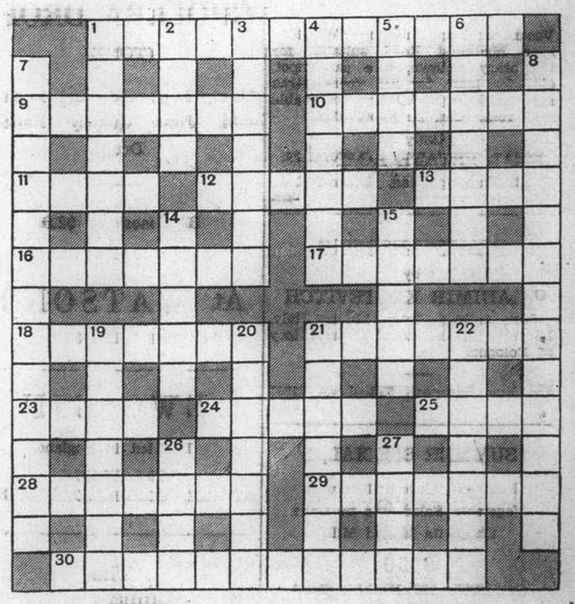

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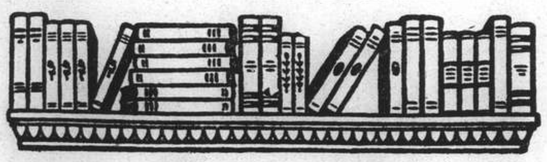
1 Trying to do without necessary dentures? (two words)
9 Not a sin of commission
10 It may be one letter, or two, or three, or several columns
11 Musical instrument
12 Trying people sit hereon trying people
13 A stupid fellow
16 After the sappers, but quite genuine
17 Even in a herb there's something for the exchequer
18 A plan that is not clear about part of India
21 Serpentine
23 May be stranded though still on a ship
24 A plus representative of British fauna
25 One of the U.S.A.
28 Part of what cannot err a centimetre
29 Aim with final attitude
30 Fickle

DOWN

1 A sound device at sea
2 A vinous settlement
3 It can make me exert
4 A famous British poet
5 It leaves the musician six choose from, doesn't it?
6 Kind of lace
7 Lateral speed ends thoughtless
8 What the heir may be waiting to step into (three words)
14 Kind of pump suggesting virile painting?
15 It wouldn't look odd if tailless, it just happens
19 A drug
20 Sad men's disorder
21 Plain features from Russia
22 Is a collected soldier of the right stamp needed for this duty?
26 One of the brighter circles
27 Reverse of the first part of 1 across



THE BOOK PAGE

Roots in the Past

A HISTORY OF BRITISH FOREIGN POLICY By Ian C. Hannah, M.A., M.P. Nicholson & Watson, London.

Another very interesting addition has been made to the University Extension Library in the above book by Mr. Hannah. The volume is obviously not of much assistance to deep students of the history of British foreign policy, though in its 200 odd pages it gives a very rapid survey of the development of British relations with the various countries of the world, and in doing so it gives food for a considerable amount of thought. How many people nowadays would realize how deeply rooted British foreign policy is in all that has happened in the past; that with certain interregnums there has been a consistent logical progress towards the establishment of Great Britain as a Power not only in Europe but throughout the world. There are not many, for example, who realize that during the Protectorship, Cromwell carried out a very vigorous foreign policy, lifting a government from abject humiliation, when it could not even defend its own coasts against the Barbary pirates, to a pinnacle of power, in the space of a very few years. The fact that he did so gives rise to a very interesting thought. The Commonwealth was Britain's one and only experiment in what would now be called Fascism; as the author says:

....It was efficient in a rather feckless age. A large number of individuals, including almost the entire mercantile community, must have felt the personal benefit of all it did. But the kind of freedom Briton's prize was very largely lost. Their lives were regulated in a way they could not bear. In 1660, with something approaching unanimity, the nation registered its preference for the old democratic liberty over national power, efficiency and in many cases personal gain. And considering the continuity of British ways the fact is not without significance today.

Lord Castlereagh's Terms

Probably one of the most interesting chapters is that dealing with the French Revolution and Napoleon. It gives the most outstanding example of the truth that "mankind will never learn," for after sketching the development of British policy in Europe and also America during that very troublesome time, the author brings us to the peace negotiations which followed the Battle of Waterloo. As to the guilt of the French in that war there was neither doubt nor discussion. The nation had stood behind Napoleon and no other country was directly responsible for the widespread desolation which Napoleon inflicted from the Atlantic to Moscow. It is one of the outstanding features of the greatness of Lord Castlereagh that he insisted upon giving the French generous terms. He left no opportunity for a war of revenge, and his wisdom was such that while the French were deprived of no territory to which they had a just claim, only a moderate indemnity was imposed, and everything was done to help France, under the restored Bourbons, to take her rightful place amongst the great Powers. As Mr. Hannah remarks, Talleyrand was as much respected as the representative of any other nation.

It is interesting to note how as a result of the Napoleonic wars, Great Britain secured her roots in the Far East and the means of producing those developments which were to be noted during the course of last century.

The Franco-German War

This particular instance of the close of the Napoleonic wars is mentioned for the purpose of comparison with what happened at Versailles in 1919. There was even a closer precedent than that already mentioned to be found in the close of the Franco-German War of 1870-71. Bismarck realized the impossibility of depriving a great nation of all scope for its natural ambition; he hoped that in Africa France might find compensation for her losses in Europe. The terms which he imposed were undoubtedly harsh, but they were most emphatically not such as to drive France to despair. When it is realized how quickly the French paid the indemnity levied upon them and restored themselves to a first-class military nation, it must be apparent that this is so.

After Versailles

When the Treaty of Versailles is considered, it is apparent that the terms imposed upon Germany were such as to close to her every avenue of national activity. Mr. Hannah paints the picture very briefly in the following:

....She was deprived of all her colonies, and as they became mandates under the League of Nations, she did not even receive the usual compensation for the value of government property. The Allies, and especially the Americans, refused to let France take advantage of the opportunity to satisfy her desire for the left bank of the Rhine, but Alsace and Lorraine were immediately re-annexed without any consultation of the wishes of the inhabitants. The Saar valley was put under the League of Nations and temporarily attached to France as a source of compensation for the wanton destruction by the Germans of her coal mines during the war. The section of Schleswig that was Danish in population was restored to its mother country. In the east Poland was assigned rather more than the old kingdom had ever included, the frontiers depending largely upon a plebiscite to be held in Silesia (which eventually went rather in favour of Germany). East Prussia was entirely separated from the rest of the Reich by a corridor to the sea by Dantzig, which ancient Hanseatic town became a free city under the League of Nations to serve as a port for Poland.

Departure from Example

Not only were the examples of Lord Castlereagh and Bismarck departed from in 1919 with regard to territorial holdings, the same may be said of the financial settlements arrived at during the same conference. Bismarck imposed upon France an indemnity which could be paid within a few years and got out of the way. On the other hand, less than fifty years later, Germany was required to find such sums as could not conceivably have been liquidated by any imaginable device. The treaty was essentially a soldier's treaty, intended to destroy Germany's power of making war for at least many years to come, and without any trace of statesmanlike concern for what would ultimately be the result. That is again quoting Mr. Hannah's own finding and the bitter experiences of the last nineteen years, so that though he is writing still very close to the event, he has taken a proper historical outlook upon the whole question.

Teaching of History

The above are but a few examples of the very interesting manner in which the author presents his facts to his readers, and it leaves the impression in the mind of the reviewer that if those statesmen who met in Versailles to end the war which was to end war, had known very much of the history of their various countries' foreign relations, many of the very egregious mistakes which have been made of recent years would never have been perpetrated.

The book is written in a very interesting and pleasing style and is to be recommended to anyone who wants to attain a swift survey of what has happened in Europe, from an English point of view, during the last 1,000 years.—R.T.P-G.

In Great Waters

VALIANT SAILORMEN By E. Keble Chatterton. Hurst & Blackett, London. 3/6.

Although we have learnt by bitter experience that war is an abhorrent and useless way of attempting to solve national difficulties, bringing in its wake unlimited sorrow and all the grief that accompanies human loss, yet we cannot cease to wonder at the many acts of heroism performed in the face of the enemy, whether it be yesterday or a hundred years ago. However, it is indeed fortunate that men need not resort to war in order to reveal their valour—the sea provides ample opportunity. Modesty, for which the sailor is noted, prevents the world from knowing the whole story of the battles waged against the raging tempest by those who go down to the sea in ships, and it is towards enlightenment that Mr. E. Keble Chatterton has striven in his "Valiant Sailormen"—for valiant they are. Mr. Chatterton is acknowledged to be a leading authority on nautical matters, and his previous publications, including "Sea Raiders" and "The Big Blockade," continue to be enjoyed by thousands, landlubbers and sailors alike. "Valiant Sailormen" is yet another wonderful narrative of brave mariners, in sail and steam, who have plunged into great perils and emerged triumphant to write one more page in the annals of the sea.

Ordeal of the Phemius

It would not be amiss to mention that in this stirring book there appears a graphic description of the West Indian hurricane which struck the Phemius, of the Blue Funnel Line, when, in November, 1932, that vessel was on her way to Colon after coming through the Windward Passage between Cuba and Haiti. In this epic of the sea the Phemius upheld the highest traditions of Britain's merchant navy. To Shanghai this particular story is of special interest since Capt. D. L. C. Evans, the brother of a Shanghailander, was in command at the time. No description of such a tremendous and prolonged episode could have been given with more modesty and clarity, and Mr. Chatterton gives it in such a way as to convey in vivid fashion the sting of spray lashed up to fury by a 200 m.p.h. wind, the sarili scream of the hurricane through the rigging, and that ominous moan which is only heard in the worst of weather. This is only one of the fourteen thrilling chapters of a book (first published in 1936) to which, in this cheaper but excellently produced edition, all lovers of the sea will give an eager welcome.—F.R.C.

Smuggling Paradise

THE GEOGRAPHICAL MAGAZINE. June. 40-42 Chandos Street, London. 1/-.

There is a certain sheep with unique powers of leadership, living on the shores of Carlingford Bay—through which the frontier between Eire and Northern Ireland has been drawn. It has been trained as a smuggler, so local legend runs. In the dead of night it leads flocks across the water, and then swims back alone. The smuggled flock is sold on the southern Irish side of the Bay to the great profit of the valuable animal's owner. This is one of the stories, both fantastic and truthfully depressing, told of the barrier dividing the two parts of Ireland, by Mr. Rupert Strong, in the June issue of "The Geographical Magazine."

Contraband in Coffins

Many are the ruses adopted in this paradise of smugglers. One of the strangest is that of hiding contraband in coffins. Advantage is taken of the ancient superstition that the near relatives of anyone who has died must ride directly over or under the coffin to the funeral; devout officials would never think of examining the contents of a coffin or of searching the passengers under so lugubrious a roof.

The Spotted Cow

The inquisitive traveller at Cullaville, a great smuggling centre, might learn something of the arts of the trade, says the writer. The noses of cattle, he might be told, are rubbed with saltpetre to prevent them from lowing, and pigs are made drunk with stout to keep them from squealing during the surreptitious journey across the frontier; white spots on red cows are painted to prevent them from being seen, and shoemakers are working overtime to provide felt slippers for cattle that have to be smuggled silently out of Eire. "Fact and fiction," remarks Mr. Strong, "are much the same to the Irishman."

Greyhounds, especially when a good dog fetched two or three hundred pounds in Ulster, were profitable contraband. Their owners are said to favour the more mountainous districts, where the dogs usually get the better of the patrols.

Butter under Bounty

Extraordinary anomalies have come into existence. Republican butter for example, is exported under the bounty system to the North, and then smuggled back again to the South. Carlingford Bay, the scene of the sheep's exploits, is also one of the main channels through which Irish Sweepstake tickets reach England, says Mr. Strong. Customs officials have little chance of catching the small boats which glide silently across the bay at dead of night with cargoes that may bring fortunes into English homes.

Shopping Restrictions

The grim side of conditions created by partition is not ignored by the writer. The Northern port of Newry, once a hive of industry, has been hard hit. In the old days people living a few miles south of this town could go north to do their shopping. Now, even if they live a few yards from the frontier, they are forced to shop in Dundalk, which may be eleven miles away. Trade between North and South in many commodities has been killed altogether. In spite of these hindrances to trade and the fact that there is neither racial nor geographical justification for the frontier, the writer's conclusion is that "the time is not yet ripe for the removal of the border, and no one knows this better than Mr. De Valera."

New Fiction

In **"Dust in Your Eyes"** (Ward Lock, London 3/6) Phyllis Ramsay gives us the somewhat amusing results consequent on the marriage of a writer and a film star. The latter has passed through at least one affair prior to being dragged to the altar by the scribbler of stories and that marriage has not completely altered his ideas is seen by his fall from grace after marriage. The scribbler of stories becomes a best-seller and even ascends to the heights of playwriting. There are naturally all sorts of ups and downs in a married life of this description. "Temperamental" is the polite adjective generally used in construing the reasons for the differences of opinion portrayed — in other circles, it is frequently described as a "set-to," a quarrel, or even a fight. But, of course, all's well in the last chapter of **"Dust in Your Eyes."** The authoress-playwriter returns to her Clark Gable, or is it Harold Lloyd? — and the reader is left to imagine that the course of true love henceforward must run smoothly. Or have we got past that stage nowadays and is sufficient unto the day the evil thereof?—J.W.F.

A trip through Suez and the Red Sea, with all the inevitable ingredients; murder on the Bombay-Delhi Express and aeroplane flights over the plains and hills to near the Himalayas; and finally a political expedition through practically unknown country to the mysterious lands around Tibet—all these you can have for your money in **"Secret Orchards"** by Michael Burt (Ward Lock, London 3/6.) Part One is, of course, somewhat hackneyed by this time, but Capt. Burt is to be congratulated on having omitted to inform the world as to the exact meaning of *chota peg* and other essentials which have already been so often explained to an uninterested world. Part Two is the thriller part of **"Secret Orchards"** wherein His Majesty's Secret Service messenger is foully done to death and the useless papers stolen. But it is in Part Three that the author is at his best—not only in the descriptive passages telling of the majesty of mountains and snow but also in the clearing up of all the mysteries allowed out of the bag during the voyage East of Suez and over the plains. It is very obvious that the writer knows his P. and O. ship and his India, while his Tibetan borderland is a dream of beauty, making a brilliant finale to a pleasing volume. —J.W.F.

"Whizz Fargo, Gunfighter" (Ward Lock, London. 3/6) and Hopdoodle O'Day (stutterer) are pards in George C. Henderson's story. Hopdoodle is the kind of man who may be a bit of a fool but always wins out—he is described as "dish-faced and bald-headed," while Whizz is "loose-limbed and smiling eyed" with a ruddy face always splitting in a grin—in fact not so romantic as usual in name or appearance, but bright. Still, they are a good pair to face the Black Sombreros—a company of fifteen disciplined riflemen who seemed to know exactly what they wanted and how to get it:

> Each sat erect in the saddle, eyes to the front, both hands, grippin' Winchester rifles, ready to snap them to the shoulder and fire at an instant's notice. Every one of them wore a big black sombrero with a plain band.....

They also wore bandannas wrapped round the lower parts of their faces to conceal them, and if they caught a man in a lie it went hard with him. But strange though it may seem, this sable force, moving as one, was not to be feared by honest men—for they were the Thunder Valley Vigilantes—and they were a force in which Caroline Darmody, with her hair like spun silver (platinum?) and her laughing face touched with a hint of bitterness and sorrow, had full confidence. Knowing as we in the Far East do the value of Vigilantes, many will be anxious to pick up some pointers from this interesting account of how they work in the Wild West —D.P.

Books Received

Mi Fu on Ink-Stones. Translated by R. H. Van Gulik (Vetch, Peiping. $10) **I am a Spy.** "E.7" (Lovat Dickson, London. 9/-)

Men will never establish any equality with which they can be contented. Whatever efforts a people may make, they will never succeed in reducing all the conditions of society to a perfect level; and even if they unhappily attained that absolute and complete depression, the inequality of minds would still remain, which, coming directly from the hand of God, will forever escape the laws of man.—ALEXIS DE TOCQUEVILLE.

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If then our judgment be so depraved, our reason overruled, will precipitated, that we cannot seek our own good, or moderate ourselves.... the best way for case is to impart our misery to some friend, not to smother it up in our own breast.....grief concealed strangles the soul; but when as we shall but impart it to some discreet, trusty, loving friend, it is instantly removed by his counsel happily, wisdom, persuasion, advice, his good means, which we could not otherwise apply unto ourselves.—ROBERT BURTON

THROUGH THE MIKE

BY THE RADIO EDITOR

Sweden Testing

According to word just received from Home, a series of daily broadcasts on the short waves is being radiated by SM5SN, Sweden. These broadcasts take place from 16.30-23.00, on frequencies from 56 to 57.5 mc/s (the 5-metre band); they are given continuously between those hours and consist of a short text and the call-sign.

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Holland's New Station

Before the end of 1939, the Netherlands broadcasting stations hope to transmit their medium-wave radio programmes through the new 125-kilowatt station which is now being installed at Jaarsveld. It is probable that it will work on 301.5m., 995 kc/s, the channel now used by Hilversum II; something superspecial in the way of short wave transmitters is also mooted, but details of this are not yet to hand.

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Turkey Transmitter

The Ottoman Government proposes to instal a short wave transmitter in the neighbourhood of the capital, Ankara, as I mentioned in these columns not long ago. It is understood that this transmitter will be working on two channels, TAP, 31.70m., 9.46 mc/s, and TAQ, 19.74m., 15.19 mc/s. These stations should be heard here fairly comfortably, for they will have a power output of about 20 kilowatts.

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The Cairo Conference

When the findings of the World Telecommunications Conference recently held in Egypt have been ratified by the respective governments the following short wave bands will be available for radio broadcasts:—50-48.9m.; 41.67-41.1m.; 31.58-30.93m.; 25.64-25.21m.; 19.87-19.54m.; 16.88-16.81m.; and 13.99-13.79m. By this allocation, the broadcasting band will gain 2 mc/s in the 13m. band (21.45-21.75 mc/s); 1 m/c in the 31-metre band (9.5-9.7 mc/s); and 1 m/c in the 41-metre band (7.2-7.3 mc/s). On the other hand, amateur experimental transmitters will see their exclusive bands slightly decreased, worse luck. The actual allotment of channels will be discussed and decided upon in respect to the European stations at a further conference to be held in Switzerland next January.

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Argentina Again

In addition to our old friend LRU, a new 10-kilowatt station, with the call-sign LRA also located at Buenos Aires may now be heard on 30.96m., 9.69 mc/s, from about 05.00 Shanghai time. The programmes are a relay of the "Radio El Mundo" studio, and are simultaneously broadcast through LRX, on 31.06m., 9.66 mc/s.

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Spain on the Air

The call of a temporary station situated somewhere in an "advanced position on the Madrid Front" in Spain is reported to be "Radio Nacional AZ." According to news just received from Home, this station broadcasts a news bulletin daily in several languages, from about 05.00 Shanghai time on, on 42.50m., 7.085 mc/s. The call is "Emisario Radio Nacional AZ en el Frente de Madrid." Incidentally, Burgos (FET5) is now on 40.80m., 7.353 mc/s, and "Radio Malaga," which closes down at 06.00 or 06.30, switches over a few minutes later from 41.40m., 7.245 mc/s, to 20.77m., 14.445 mc/s.

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Ethiopia Calling

The Italian Government is reported to have installed a new transmitter near Addis Ababa and this station is expected to start broadcasting very soon. The station will work on 31.25m., 9.6 mc/s, and 80m., 3.75 mc/s, two channels originally allotted to the I2RO short wave station at Rome.

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Director's Talk

The BBC Empire Service Director will give the next of his quarterly talks to listeners this week, on Friday to be exact. Points concerning the service from Daventry raised by listeners during the previous quarter and plans for future programmes will be discussed by the Director, who will, as usual, give the talk afresh in each transmission, thus enabling matters affecting only one transmission to be dealt with separately.

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"Vugglesbark"

According to word received from Berlin, the German Short-wave Station will broadcast at 21.15 Shanghai time on Thursday a number of beautiful songs which are part of the repertoire of every dweller in the glorious Kinzig Valley of Hessia. Listeners will learn in song and word of the "Vugglesbärk" and the "Wetterauer Tintenfass," so well-known and so well-beloved in Hessia. Together, these songs will give an impressive picture of one of the most beautiful districts of the whole German fatherland.

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Fireworks on the Air

Berlin has changed its week-end programme and hopes that the title "Week-End Fireworks" will soon have a definite meaning for its radio audience, a title which will practically force them to tune in on this particular broadcast. Since it is midsummer, Berlin has closed the doors of its "Non-Stop" Cabaret until the next "season," and the new broadcast is to replace it. Gay music, witty dialogue, anecdotes and crackling fireworks of good humour—all these, so Berlin informs me, will characterize "Week-End Fireworks," the first performance of which goes on the air at 23.00 o'clock Shanghai time on Saturday.

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American Stations

While no guarantee of reception can be given, it is proposed to give each week the wave-lengths and schedules of some of the various short wave radio stations situated in the United States, for the benefit of those who may be interested in going out for "rare catches." Times are given in Shanghai time, and the city visited this week is Boston, which has two stations:—

WIXK, owned by the National Broadcasting Co., daily except Sunday, direction South Africa, 18-00-0500, 31.3m., 9.570 mc/s; Sunday, direction South Africa, 20.00-05.00, 31.3m., 9.57 mc/s; daily, non-directional, 05.00-13.00, 31.3m., 9.57 mc/s.

WIXAL, owned by the University Club, daily except Saturday and Sunday: 01.30-03.00, 19.6m., 15.25 mc/s; 03.15-03.45, 19.8m., 15.13 mc/s; 04.45-06.30, 25.4m., 11.79 mc/s; 07.00-08.45, 49.6m., 6.04 mc/s; 09.00-10.00, 25.6m., 11.73 mc/s; Sundays only, 22.00-23.00, 19.8m., 15.13 mc/s; 03.00-06.30 (Monday), 25.4m., 11.79 mc/s; 07.00-09.00 (Monday), 49.6m., 6.04 mc/s.

SHORT WAVE RADIO

Today's Broadcasts

Daventry, England.—Trans, 1, from *13.00 to 15.00 o'clock*, 16.86 metres, 19.76m.; 19.82m.; 25.53m.; 31.55m. Trans. 2, *18.45 to 21.55*, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.; Trans. 3, *22.00 to 1.00*. 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.

Via Hongkong.—31.49m.

Berlin, Germany.—*13.05 to 24.00* 31.38m.; 19.74m.; 19.63m.; 16.89m.; 13.99m.

Rome, Italy.—*19.00 to 21.30 and 23.00 to 00.20*, 25.4m.

Australia—Lynhurst, Mon.-Sat. *10.35 to 21.30*, Sun., *16.00 to 20.30*, 31.34m. **Sydney,** Sun., *14.00 to 16.00; 18.00 to 22.00;* Mon., *22.00 to 24.00;* 31.28m. **Melbourne,** Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 22.00*, 31.50m. **Perth,** Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 19.00*, 31.28m.

Paris, France:—*14.00 to 18.00*, 25.24m., 31.35m.; *18.00 to 23.00*, 19.68m.; *21.30 to 23.00*, 16.88m.

Hilversum, Holland.—Irreg., but generally: Daily, *08.00 to 10.00, 21.25 to 23.30;* Sun., *20.25 to 23.30, 03.00 to 04.00*, 16.38m.; 19.71m.; 31.28m.

Manila, P.I.—*6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to 23.00*, 25.38m.; 31.35m. Sunday, *18.00 to 24.00*.

Tokyo, Japan.—*13.00 to 14.30, 21.00 to 22.30*, 25.42m.; 19.75m.

Lisbon, Portugal.—*6.00 to 8.00*, 30.13m.

13.00 "Escape." 6 (D). "Music for all" (B)
13.30 "Palace of Varieties" (D). News, varied (T)
14.00 News in German (S)
14.30 "Why Greek?" 5 (D)
14.50 News (D)
15.00 News (B)
15.30 Freiburg Chamber Trio (B)
16.00 Sea-shanties, in English (B)
16.30 "At Home and Abroad" (LYN)
16.45 Songs: "It was a starlit night" (B)
17.00 Piano concert (B), Melbourne and Perth programmes (A)
17.15 News (LYN)
17.30 News in German (B)
17.40 "News behind the news" (LYN)
17.45 Light music (B)
17.55 Musical reproductions (LYN)
18.20 National programme (LYN)
19.45 Aston Hippo. Orches. (D)
19.50 Concert (B), News (P), Varied (M), (B), Second Test Match (D)*
19.15 Comedy: "The Perfect Marriage" (D)
19.45 Talk by Compton Mackenzie (D)
20.00 To be announced (D), News (B), Concert (P)
20.20 Second Test Match (D)*
20.30 News (LYN), in French (P)
20.35 "It Happens Every Day" (D)
21.00 News in German (S), Varied (T)
21.15 Sea-shanties, in English (B), Second Test Match (D)*
21.30 News (D), Comedy: "Life is so Short" (P)
22.00 "Is there life on other planets" 5 (D), News (B)
22.15 Baritone/violin concert (D)
22.30 Piano concert (B)
22.50 "Pizzicato" (D)
23.00 German movie hour (B). "Empire Variety Theatre" (D)
23.45 "Wheels and cogs" (B)
24.00 News (D), (B)
00.30 Second Test Match (D)*
00.40 "Jack and Jill" 5 (D)
01.25 Second Test Match (D)*
06.00 News, 31.48m. (USA), Varied (L)
06.30 Varied (M), Eye-witness account: second Test Match (D)*

*Test Match Broadcasts.
Ball-by-ball commentary on Test Match: From 22.00-23.00 on 19.60 metres; from 23.00-01.40 on 25.53 metres.

A Ministry of Shipping

Recommended by the Officers Federation in Annual Report

Emphasizing the necessity for preventing any further diminution in the number of British merchant ships, the Officers (Merchant Navy) Federation in their annual report issued recommend the establishment of a Ministry of Shipping, states "The Times."

The nationalization of shipping is not suggested, as this, it is stated, would inevitably be a political issue, and the position is far too serious to allow it to be a party controversy. It is recognized that shipping may ultimately find it necessary to reorganize itself, in self-preservation, into a public utility corporation akin to the Central Electricity Board, but the urgent reality of the day, it is submitted, is the need for determined policy and custodian leadership. A Minister of Shipping with Cabinet rank would be charged with the sole duty of protecting and developing British shipping in the nation's interest, with due regard to the interests of shipowners and of officers and men.

It would be the duty of a Minister of Shipping, the report considers, to consider the impressive arguments put forward from well-informed quarters for the reintroduction of the Navigation Laws in a modern form. It is difficult to believe that with our power as the greatest importing nation, and with our bankers financing the bulk of the world's cargoes, that great influence cannot be brought to ensure that more cargoes are carried by British ships and covered by British insurance policies.

"It would seem," it is added, "that the arguments in favour of the appointment of a Minister of Shipping are overwhelmingly strong, and equally, that unless someone in high authority can protect British shipping against itself and against foreign competition, the days of Britain's maritime supremacy are numbered. The present proposed remedy of saving the industry by laying up the ships by which it lives clearly shows the need for a man armed with the knowledge and power to urge fundamentally curative measures.

Contentment on Board

"One of the functions of a Minister of Shipping would be to see, in the national interest, that the conditions of employment for officers and men were such as to ensure contentment, efficiency, and security in the lives of those serving in British merchant ships. We submit that he should, unless the point be gained by collective agreement, insist that a 'control of entry' scheme be introduced, and a really comprehensive training scheme be operated. He should, in the absence of a collective agreement, insist upon reform of the present system which places the employment of officers upon a casual basis."

The year under review, the report states, was one of marked revival in the shipping industry, but there were facts which should be regarded with the utmost concern by the Government and the community. Great Britain's share of the world's tonnage has fallen from 44 per cent. in 1914 to 28 per cent. in 1938, and we have 2,000 fewer ships, excluding tankers, than in 1914. Eighty per cent. of the Indian-Far East trade is in the hands of the Japanese, and the liner trades in the Pacific are almost lost to foreign competition. The only concrete proposal to safeguard the present position appears to be the very alarming one of voluntarily laying up ships in order that those remaining in commission may secure remunerative freights as the result of the consequent reduced competition.

A Grotesque Proposal

"If the situation were less alarming from the national point of view," it is submitted, "such a proposal would be regarded as grotesquely amusing. But can those responsible for such proposals really be blind to the fact that other nations are merely putting into effect the lessons they learned—and which we appear to have forgotten—between 1914 and 1918? Some of the most virile nations of the world are determined to develop large merchant navies, quite irrespective of their peace-time economic needs. As a nation dependent upon 100,000 tons of imported foodstuffs and raw materials daily, it will be suicidal to lay up a single British ship with world affairs as they are today. Shipowners cannot be expected to keep their ships in commission if to do so is to incur loss, but, on the other hand, the nation cannot permit its ships and sailor-men to be in idleness while the fleets of other nations expand."

The solution of these problems, the report contends, is essentially the responsibility of those answerable for the safety and well-being of our nation and Empire, and it is for this reason that the Federation considers that the first step might well be to place one man, a Minister of Shipping, in a position of sole responsibility to the Government for the maintenance of British shipping in good heart.

Concerning the wars in Spain and China, the report states that apart from companies normally trading to Spain there have sprung up a number of companies availing themselves of the legitimate but deplorable opportunities for very profitable trading which flow from a nation's agony. In several such companies conditions of employment have been very unsatisfactory and numerous irregularities have arisen.

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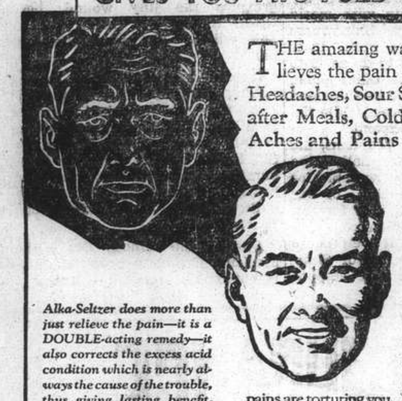

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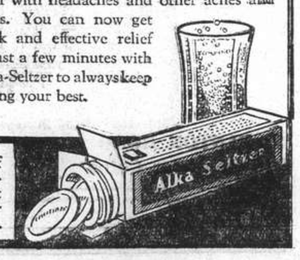

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DEATH

FARMER.—On June 27, 1938, at his residence, 25 Rue du Consulat, Shanghai, HUGH FARMER, aged 58 years, beloved husband of Violet Farmer and father of Bert and Hugh Farmer. The funeral (cremation) service will be held in the Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel today, Tuesday, June 28 at 5 p.m. All friends are invited to attend. 15542

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A LONG WAR?

Comparison of the public utterances of Japanese statesmen regarding the Sino-Japanese hostilities made nearly a year ago with those recently made in Tokyo by Lieut.-Gen. Seishiro Itagaki, Minister of War, indicates a very considerable change of opinion as to how long this undeclared war is likely to continue. Like the struggle in Spain which was to have been, according to the insurgents, a matter of a few days, it was confidently expected in Japan that the campaign in China would not be unduly long. For example on August 24 General Sugiyama, Gen Itagaki's predecessor, declared he could not foresee how long the Sino-Japanese conflict would last, but emphasized that Japan intended to bring hostilities to an end as speedily as possible by taking the military initiative instead of continuing her past policy of replying to Chinese attacks. "Japan," he added, "would not wage a protracted war against China and thus play into China's hands." That undoubtedly meant that General Sugiyama contemplated a short, and successful victory in China. That was the view held by Prince Konoye, the Premier, on September 6, when addressing the Diet. "The Government" he said "wants to deal speedily a fatal blow to the Chinese troops." He declared that the military were confident of being able to achieve this aim. Four days later the enthusiasm of Gen. Sugiyama had undergone some modification for on September 10 he is reported as having declared to Domei "Although the results achieved by the Japanese forces in both North China and the Shanghai area are fully up to expectations, Japan should redouble her efforts to bring about an early termination of the current conflict." On the same day Prince Konoye expressed the view to assembled newspapermen that the hostilities would extend into 1938. What brought about that change of opinion was undoubtedly the stubborn resistance which the Chinese were offering the Japanese forces around Shanghai, and the general situation which did not augur well for any rapid fulfilment of the Japanese plans.

Following the fall of Shanghai the capture of Nanking was rapid, but the programme had already been delayed considerably. The long time taken to reduce Hsuchow added further to the dislocation of original hopes, while there is some indication that the capture of Hankow will not be achieved with that speed which those who clamoured for an advance on that city evidently anticipated. General Chiang Kai-shek having announced his intention of continuing the struggle even after that, General Itagaki is now reported to have said that "Japan is prepared to carry on hostilities for ten years if they should last so long." So belief in the speedy defeat of China changed into the idea that the hostilities would last into this year, and now the War Minister contemplates the possibility of the war lasting for ten years. The general tenor of the War Minister's speech was one of confidence that the Japanese army and nation were fully competent to carry on hostilities to the bitter end, but he concluded his remarks with the significant passage "After all the nation should be armed with the firm determination bravely to face protracted hostilities, and be prepared for them so that the incident may be brought to an end as early as possible." When the caution with which statesmen have to prepare their speeches is taken into consideration, and the very definite limits to which they may go, it is quite apparent that Gen. Itagaki was seeking to prepare the country for the blow that general realization of the fact that fighting may go on indefinitely must necessarily inflict. This can safely be said; on the face of things Japan has been drawn deeper and deeper into those toils in which she is playing the very game which General Sugiyama said the country would not play. She is being obliged to fight a protracted war, the game which the Chinese Government wanted her to play. That has been brought about by the stoutness with which the Chinese armies, badly equipped as compared with their enemies, have fought the Japanese inch by inch in north China and along the Yangtze Valley, and there is little or nothing at present to suggest that events will assume a quicker tempo.

If Japan were forced to fight a ten-year war she would emerge from it, whether victorious or not, with fortunes so impaired that for a long time to come she would amount to little more than a second-class Power. The enormous cost of such a war would prove an insuperable burden for a nation which already carries a sufficiently heavy load. It is by no means easy to ascertain what this struggle has cost the Japanese in money up to the present, but that is not the whole of the price. Heavy as has been the actual cost of the prosecution of hostilities, Japan is paying the price in other directions as well, such as the loss of revenue from diminished trading and the artificial restrictions imposed upon her exchange and industries. If the actual cost of fighting is taken to be somewhere in the neighbourhood of Yen 7,000,000,000 and it cannot be very far from that figure, it is clear that only a comparatively few years would exhaust the Yen 50,000,000,000, which a former Finance Minister said Japan could afford to spend on a war. Mr. Masayuki Tani, Japanese Minister-at-large, yesterday in Tokyo spoke of the diplomatic corps in China being surprised at the speedy progress of Japanese operations up the Yangtze and the fall of Anking. They may have been quick, but up to the present nothing has occurred which in any way compensates for the delay in the Japanese programme which has become all too apparent. There seems to be very little doubt that the Japanese will continue to progress into the interior of China, for humanly speaking it is difficult to see how the Chinese can ever expect to beat them on the field, but, time being here the essence of the contract, the longer the Japanese forces take about it the costlier will it be for them. That has been the design of Chiang Kai-shek all along. His ideas of how long the Japanese could be held up may not entirely have been realized, but, even if they have been met only partly, much of the damage he expected will have been done to the Japanese. Gen. Itagaki's remarks, therefore, must make dismal reading for those Japanese who originally expected a short period of hostilities to be followed by a splendid harvest in the shape of a subdued and humble China. And they will probably realize that, should Japan be obliged to continue this struggle too long, there will be no fruits of victory but rather the bitter crop of frustration.

Fortunes in the Test

At the time of writing it was not known whether the Australians had managed to save the follow on in the Test match being played at Lord's, or not. The match was in a very interesting position, with the Australians fighting hard to avoid defeat. And no one who is acquainted with their abilities will be prepared to take an English victory for granted until the last ball is bowled. The ball by ball accounts of the match, broadcast mainly for the benefit of Australian listeners-in, have been fairly well received in Shanghai, and they have told a better story of the fluctuations of fortune in this remarkable game than have the cables. England were saved in their innings by their seasoned players—Hammond, Paynter, and Ames—while the youngsters, upon whom many hopes had been built and who did so well in the first Test, failed. After a bad beginning, England were left in a strong position at the end of the second day's play. For Australia, Brown played an innings of incalculable value At one time it looks as if the tourists would be given an impossible task, but Brown and Hassett—whose success will be doubly welcome because it is his first in a Test—succeeded in pulling the game round, until at one time the Australians were in a better position for the third wicket down than had been England. Then followed a minor collapse. Wellard, whose bowling seems up to then to have been innocuous, had Hassett out leg before wicket, and clean bowled Badcock for a "duck." With Chipperfield crippled by the injury to his hand suffered while stopping a hot chance from Hammond, the Australian position looked desperate, as the remaining players could not be relied upon to stand up to the attack. All this could be vividly realised by those listening in to the broadcast. As also the fact that Bradman, who played on to Verity, did not lose his wicket on account of bad luck. To "play on" is usually put down to ill fortune, but on this occasion, Bradman was completely deceived by Verity's flighting of the ball, changed his mind just as he was about to play, tried at the last moment to alter his stroke, and was beaten all the way. Apparently he would have been bowled whether his bat had touched the ball or not. Another highlight of the game which was not recorded in the cables was Verity's brilliant catch of MacCabe, who is second only to Bradman as Australia's greatest batsman. MacCabe beautifully cut a ball from Farnes into the gully, putting all the power of his wrists behind the shot, and Verity brought off a most spectacular catch with his left hand.

After the Derby

London newspapers have arrived in Shanghai recording extensively in photograph and print the triumphs and disappointments of the Derby, and as the world situation is so complex and permeated with the activities of diplomats it is not surprising that among the features, ranging from the sporting side to the fashion angle, a diplomatic note should be mentioned. Mr. Joseph E. Kennedy, the American Ambassador to the Court of St. James, saw his first Derby, but it is stated he did not have the luck of M. Kassidolatz, the Jugoslav Minister, who having been a *habitué* of Longchamp and Auteuil when Minister in Paris, thought old associations must prevail and backed Bois Roussel. It only needed a gossip writer to unearth an anecdote regarding Li Hung-chang, the great Chinese statesman who impressed the western world with his original, but really old-time ideas, to complete the record. The writer related that when the Chinese statesman was in Washington the British Ambassador invited him to lunch and afterwards to attend a race meeting. The invitation was formal and so was the reply, which read:

> His Excellency the Ambassador from China acknowledges with due appreciation the gracious invitation of his Excellency the Ambassador from the Court of St. James, but begs to decline on the ground that it has been admitted for many centuries in China that one horse can run faster than another.

This may be a true story for the Li Hung-chang quips and remarks during his world tour are legend, but casting back in Chinese history, horse racing, although not quite on the Derby scale and conduct, was a popular form of sport centuries before the western countries ever conceived the idea.

Hearty Laughter

It is to be regretted that space does prevent publication in full of the dithyrhambics in which the Tass News Agency indulges over the elections which are being held in Russia. But it is all very amusing and suggestive of the naivete of the government and the people who find anything of significance in elections in which there are no opposing candidates, and nothing in the nature of an attempt to discover the will of the people. In most cases the reports claim that practically one hundred per cent. of the electorate fulfil their duty, the few not attending being probably unable to do so because of sickness, for who would dare to be absent under the watchful eyes of the officials? Be that as it may the following from a Tass message is not without interest:—

> During the past night, Moscow had almost no sleep. A festive animation reigned in the streets till dawn. Loudspeakers reported on the progress of voting in the Far East and Siberia. At daybreak the first electors have already appeared in many electoral wards. Their number grew and long before the beginning of polling, music, songs and hearty laughter resounded everywhere.
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> At 6 a.m. sharp, the chairman of the ward election commissions invited the electors into the polling stations carefully equipped and lovingly adorned with flowers and carpets.
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> Electors arrive in wards, in families and groups. Inhabitants of large houses form whole columns with banners, music and songs. Elderly people and invalids are brought in smartly adorned cars.
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> A particularly festive mood prevails in the areas where Stalin and Molotov stand for election. Here, the electors, stirred by the honour which fell to their lot, began to gather earlier than anywhere else. Here not infrequently, an elector leaving the polling station, addresses the surrounding people with ardent words of joy and pride.
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> The reports from the towns and villages and from cossack villages of three Union Republics describe the tremendous enthusiasm sweeping the country on this day of jubilation for the entire people.—(Tass).

Another message states "the night was only descending on the capital and on the brightly illuminated squares, and streets brimmed over with merriment when the doors of the electoral wards were thrown open." Of course there was merriment, even a Red Russian sees the joke of an election in which there is no choice between candidates.

IN PARENTHESIS

Reaction

"A WARM bath stimulates the imagination," says a doctor. This expains why a man who has taken a warm bath will come downstairs boasting that he has just had a cold one.

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Cheater

Two friends met at lunch.

"How's things?" one asked.

"Rotten!" said the other, with a sigh. "Honestly, if they keep on like this it looks as though my last income-tax return will be just about correct."

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Not Out

THE prisoner had just been convicted, and was pleading for leniency.

"So you can see, your Honour," he whined, "I'm really down and out."

"Yes"; said the judge, who had heard the story so often, "you may be down, but you're not out—not for six months, anyway."

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"G. B."

"DADDY," said the very small boy, "why has that car got an 'L' in front?"

"That's 'L' for 'Learner.' That means that the man at the wheel of that car is learning to drive," explained his father.

"And when a car has 'G.B.' at the back, does that mean the driver is 'Getting Better'?"

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Dumb Maid

IT was a very cold night, and the kind mistress was disturbed about her new kitchen-maid, who slept in an unheated room.

"Mary," she said, "it's going to be a cold night. I think you had better take a flat-iron to bed with you."

"Yes, ma'am," assented the girl, but without enthusiasm.

The next morning, the mistress enquired: "Well, Mary, how did you get along with the flat-iron?"

Mary sighed, and answered wearily: "Well, ma'am, I managed to get it fairly warm before morning."

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Test Match

A LADY, not well versed in the rules of the game, attended a big match at Lords. The long wait rather got on her nerves, but she cheered up wonderfully when the offstump was knocked down by the first ball of the game. "Oh, it will soon be over now, there are only five more to fall."

Another lady, either gravely lacking in tact, or having an old score to wipe off, greeted her non-scoring husband with the soothing words, "Hard lines, ducky."

Only three runs were required to win, but the last batsman had been doing himself well at the refreshment tent. The anxious captain gave him some last words of advice. "Just put your bat in front of the ball. The other fellow will do the rest." "That's all right," said the festive one, "but what do I do if I see three balls?" "Aim at the inside one." Unfortunately, however, he was bowled first ball, and the angry captain pulled him over the coals. "You fool, didn't I tell you to aim at the inside ball?" "'Pon my word, I did," he was assured. "But I hit it with the outside bat."

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The Sweep Says Goodbye

"Cor stuff me with sawdust so you're orf," said The Sweep.

"That's right," I said.

"And all by yourself, too," said The Sweep. "Cor stone me blimey."

"Cor," I said.

"I don't reckon my old woman would let me go orf to America by myself," said The Sweep.

"No?" I said.

"I slipped orf the chain at Margit once," said The Sweep, "and cor strike me lucky there wasn't arf a war. Still, I reckon it does you a bit of good to git away from the ladies sometimes."

"It do and all," I said.

"Unless you're a proper ladies' man you can soon ave a bellyful of them. Specially on a oliday," said The Sweep.

"You can," I said.

"All they want to do," said The Sweep, "is to walk up and down the front looking through the windows of at shops. Cor strike a light, looking through the windows of at shops don't arf give you a thirst."

"Not arf," I said.

"Still, I don't reckon you'll be doing none of that," said The Sweep.

"No," I said.

"Them American girls are more likely to lead you round to the jewellers," said The Sweep.

"Too true, mate," I said.

"And I expect they're looking forward to seeing you," said The Sweep. "The only bald eaded typist in England. Cor stuff me with marrers."

"Cor stuff me with turnips," I said.

"Cor strike me pink," said The Sweep. "What about a binder?"

"Cor strike me purple," I said. "What about two binders?"

"Cor chase my Aunt Fanny round the ouses," said The Sweep.

"Cor chase my Aunt Fanny round Olympia," I said.

"Cor stuff us all with monkey nuts," said The Sweep.

"Cor stuff us all with coconuts," I said.

"Cor sufferin snakes," said The Sweep.

"Cor sufferin sea serpents," I said.

"Cor," said The Sweep.

"Cor," I said.

—NAT. GUBBINS in the "Sunday Express."

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai for 24 hours ending 7 p.m.

Yesterday	Min.	68.0	Max.	81.0
Same date, 1937	Min.	71.5	Max.	83.5

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	69.8	Max.	87.3
Same date, 1937	Min.	64.6	Max.	85.8

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 26th:—Light anticyclone over Central China, the Yellow and the Eastern Seas and Korea. The typhoon south-east of the Loochoos is advancing north-eastward. Southerly to easterly winds along the China Coast. Overcast to cloudy weather around Shantung; fine to cloudy over our regions and in the south.

State on the morning of the 27th:—Moderate anticyclone over Korea and Japan. Low pressures over China. The typhoon to the east of the Loochoos is advancing north-eastward.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine to cloudy weather with breezes from the southern quadrant around Shantung: with easterly to southerly winds over our regions and along the southern Coast; with northerly to easterly winds over the Eastern Sea. The typhoon to the south-east of the Loochoos is apparently advancing slowly northward or even north-westward.—Siccawei Observatory.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

To the Refugee Water Supply Fund:—

S. J. B. $5.00

Yangtze Boom Scene Of Great Activity

Japanese Army Rushing Reinforcements But Chinese Mobilize All Available Aircraft For Offensive Against Attacking Navy

Hankow, June 27.

THE Japanese are continuing to rush reinforcements to Matung in an attempt to seize the Chinese fortified positions there on the south bank of the Yangtze River, it is stated here.

The Japanese troops which moved westward from Hsiangkou on Saturday in the direction of Matung, have reached the north-western shore of Lake Tapeh and are launching a series of assaults on the Chinese forts there while reinforcements are stated to have been landed at Tsangshanchi to support the attack.

The Chinese forts are being subjected to very heavy artillery bombardment, but the Chinese claim to be holding on to them.

The Japanese forces which made a landing east of Matung some days ago were now caught in a "death trap" following a fresh Chinese attack, claimed a Chinese military spokesman today.

The Japanese in this area are now said to be in the middle of a rectangle bounded on the north by the Yangtze, on the east by advancing Chinese columns, on the south by the Tapeh Lake, and on the west by a detachment of Chinese troops which circled around Tapeh Lake to attack the Japanese rear from Tsiangkou, east of Matung.

The situation at Tikang, the spokesman continued, was deadlocked, with Fenghuangshan changing hands several times.

The Japanese at Fenghuangshan are said to be holding on to a hill near the south bank of the Yangtze with the support of their warships, which are reported to be heavily shelling the Chinese positions.

On the North Bank

The Chinese and Japanese forces are at present facing each other on the north bank of the Yangtze in the hills east of Taihu, while at Chengyangkwan the two forces are confronting each other across the Pi River, which is at present swollen, bringing military operations to a standstill.

The Japanese advance towards Hankow must overcome many communications difficulties, declared the Chinese military spokesman. Large-scale military operations involving the use of five or more divisions, he said, were very difficult when far away from railways.

The Japanese advance westward along the Yangtze River, the spokesman continued, must rely on warships to maintain communications and supplies, but serious difficulties would be encountered if over three divisions of troops were involved.

He admitted, however, the possibility of the Japanese launching a drive towards Nanchang from Hangchow and Kiukiang and then, using the Chekiang-Kiangsi and Kiangsi-Hunan railways, making a thrust for Changsha, capital of Hunan.

Chinese Near Nanking

Using Kwangteh, in Anhwei, as a base, Chinese forces have advanced to points in the neighbourhood of Nanking, Chuyung, Chingtang and Chingkiang, capital of Kiangsu, according to a Chinese military spokesman.

One column of Chinese troops, he claimed, is attacking the Hsiashu Railway station between Nanking and Chingkiang, another column has reached a point ten miles south Chingkiang, while a third detachment has reached the outskirts of Nanking.

Japanese Warships Sunk

Direct hits were scored on three Japanese warships when six Chinese bombers in two flights, escorted by five Chinese pursuit planes, bombed Japanese warships on the Yangtze in the vicinity of Matung this morning, according to a communiqué issued by the Chinese Aviation Headquarters.

One of these warships, it is said, was sunk, while the other two were set on fire.

Probably due to the severe Chinese aerial bombardments of the past few days, the communiqué adds, the Chinese pilots sighted few Japanese warships between Matung and Anking. Most of the Japanese war vessels are said to have withdrawn below Matung.

Sighting four Japanese warships near Matung, the Chinese statement claims, the first flight of Chinese bombers concentrated on bombing the largest of the group, while the second flight bombed the remaining three.

The vessel singled out for attack by the first flight is said to have "sank within five minutes" after being hit. The Chinese pursuit machines are stated to have circled over the area after the departure of the bombers.

Of the three gunboats bombed by the second group, direct hits are said to have been made on two, which "threw up dense columns of smoke and fire."

Later in the morning another squadron of Chinese bombers took off, but was unable to reach Matung because of a heavy downpour.

In the afternoon, however, more bombers hopped off for Matung, but the results of their raid cannot as yet be ascertained.

Air Concentration

Every available Chinese aircraft in the Yangtze Valley, including heavy and light bombers and pursuit 'planes, has been mobilized in the aerial offensive against Japanese warships, aircraft and troops participating in the westward drive along the Yangtze River, according to Chinese reports.

As the result of continuous bombings in the past two days, Chinese aviation headquarters declare, today that the Japanese aerodromes at Wuhu and Anking are now "unsuitable for use."

The Japanese aerodrome at Anking is stated by the Chinese to be flooded and full of bomb craters.

The reports also say that, "due to Chinese aerial bombardments, the Japanese warships, which were formerly concentrated in the vicinity of Anking in order to support Japanese land operations on the south bank of the Yangtze River, have now been forced to scatter."—Reuter.

Japanese Losses Denied

Flatly refuting Chinese claims that Chinese air raiders on Sunday inflicted "heavy losses" on the Japanese forces, including warships and warplanes, operating in the Yangtze Valley, a Japanese China Sea Fleet communiqué at noon yesterday declared that several attempted attacks

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H'kong Crowded With Refugees

Government Petitioned to Build More Houses; Many Sleeping in Streets

The army of refugees arriving in Hongkong from Canton is being swelled daily, despite the Hongkong authorities' recent order prohibiting the landing of Canton refugees unless each possesses $20 in Hongkong currency, according to a Chinese report from the south yesterday.

A plan to establish a demilitarized zone between Canton and Hongkong still is under consideration, the report said.

So great is the number of refugees in the Colony that it is extremely difficult to rent a small room even in remote districts. In Kowloon house accommodation for refugees is lacking.

It is estimated that more than 250,000 refugees are forced to sleep in the streets at night, the report said.

A petition has been submitted to the Government by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Hongkong, asking the authorities to erect new houses to accommodate the refugees. In the meantime, arrangements are being made by the chamber to transfer part of the refugees to safety zones outside of Hongkong where the cost of living is lower.

An association for the relief of refugees has been formed by Mr. Er Wei-kwo, a Chinese banker of the colony. The first thing done by this association was to open a congee kitchen to feed the refugees.

40,000 Chinese Seek Haven Here

Forty thousand persons from widely separated areas in China, now threatened with the ravages of war have sought refuge in Shanghai during the past ten days, a Chinese survey of passenger movements revealed yesterday, says Domei.

Of this number, 30,000 arrived in Shanghai from Hankow, Wuchang, Nanchang and other cities in the middle Yangtze Valley, others have come from Ningpo, Shaohsing and other points in eastern Chekiang. They travelled either through Hongkong or Ningpo, the Chinese report said.

Anglo-French Demarche On Hainan Is. Moves

Commons Informed Tokyo Duly Told of Attitude

London, June 27.

"The British and French Governments, through their Ambassadors in Tokyo, have made it clear to the Japanese Government that they regard any occupation of Hainan Island by Japanese forces as calculated to give rise to undesirable complications," declared Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a question in the House of Commons today.

The subject was raised by Captain Alan Graham, Conservative member for the Wirral division of Cheshire, who asked if the Prime Minister would assure the French Government that they had the British Government's active assistance in any measures they might consider necessary in order to restrain Japanese armed forces from endangering the security of French Indo-China by the occupation of Hainan or adjacent islets.

"Should any complications unfortunately rise," Mr. Butler added, "the British and French Governments would doubtless afford each other such support as appears warranted by the circumstances."—Reuter.

Mexico Suspends Oil Compensation Bonds

Weak Economic Conditions Rule Against Big Issue

Mexico City, June 26.

General Lazaro Cardenas, President of Mexico, is suspending the issuance of 100,000,000 peso in bonds which the special session of Congress authorized to raise funds to indemnify foreign oil interests following expropriation of their properties by the Mexican Government, it was officially announced today.

This decision was reached after a conference at Barra de Tuxpan, Vera Cruz State. Gen. Cardenas and the secretaries of Finance, Economy, Agriculture and Foreign Affairs as well as petroleum authorities discussed the situation at the conference.

Suspension was interpreted as indicative of Mexico's weak economic condition as it was learned that last month advisers to Gen. Cardenas cautioned that it would be difficult to float bonds over the 50,000,000 peso mark.—United Press.

Duke, Duchess of Kent To Visit Poland

Warsaw, June 27.

The Duke and Duchess of Kent will visit Poland again this year as guests of Count Potocki, it was announced here yesterday. The end of July was mentioned as the probable time of the visit.—Trans-Ocean.

Yellow River Continues to Flood Banks

Vigorous Advance by Japanese Forces

Hankow, June 27.

The Yellow River continues to rise. The flood waters at Fukou, north of Chowkiakow, are about nine feet deep and 20 miles wide, while at Sihua, they are about four and a half feet deep and ten miles wide.

The Chinese Government is distributing money to flood refugees for immediate relief, at the rate of $2 per adult and $1 per child.

Those wishing to proceed to western Honan or southern Shensi provinces to take part in land reclamation work will receive $9 each from the Chinese Government.—Reuter.

Tokyo, June 27.

Japanese forces whose drive on Hankow was temporarily retarded by the Yellow River flood have resumed their vigorous advance southward messages from the front stated today.

A Kweiteh dispatch said a Japanese detachment west of the flooded area on June 24 "liquidated," several Chinese divisions" in co-operation with the air force.

Another Japanese unit advanced west of the flooded area the message said. Chinese soldiers were said to be retreating to the southern section of the Peiping-Hankow Railway and constructing strong defence works in an attempt to check the Japanese advance.

Flood Area Crossed

Crossing by the Japanese of the flooded area south of Chungmow, half way between Kaifeng and Chengchow, the important railway junction, will give the Japanese complete control of the region east of the flood zone and facilitate relief work for flood victims, the Kweiteh message stated.

A Chinese force was reported to have been routed by a Japanese unit at Yushih with 800 casualties. The Chinese were said to be fleeing toward Nansichen, leaving a large quantity of arms and ammunition.

Another dispatch stated that Japanese troops dislodged Chinese forces from the western side of the flood zone on June 25, thereby ending the attacks which had been made on Japanese soldiers and engineers repairing Yellow River dykes.

According to a Peiping message, Chinese military authorities are seriously concerned over a reported impending Japanese drive on Shensi province.

Advance on Shensi

Headquarters of the Chinese armies announced that Japanese forces in Shensi were resuming their advance to various ferry points on the Yellow River in an attempt to invade Shensi, the Peiping message declared.

A Japanese unit which had been standing by at Hownachen in southern Shansi is now driving westward toward Yumen in preparation to invade Shensi, the message continued.

Another Japanese force which had been operating near Yuncheng in southwestern Shansi was reported to be pushing on Maotsingtu ferry between Loyang and Tungkwang.

A Chinese report quoted by the Peiping dispatch said this Japanese unit now is moving toward Fenglingtu on the northern bank of the Huangho opposite Tungkwang.

The dispatch said that the Japanese forces were "grimly determined" to invade Shensi, the centre of the Communist movement, in an effort to crush Chinese Communist troops.—Domei.

U.S. Millionaire Flier Ready to Set Off

Flight from New York to Paris Prepared

Los Angeles, June 26.

Apparently satisfied with the load-lifting capabilities of his twin-motored Lockheed monoplane, Mr. Howard Hughes, millionaire motion picture producer and aviation enthusiast, today prepared to hop off for New York within 72 hours.

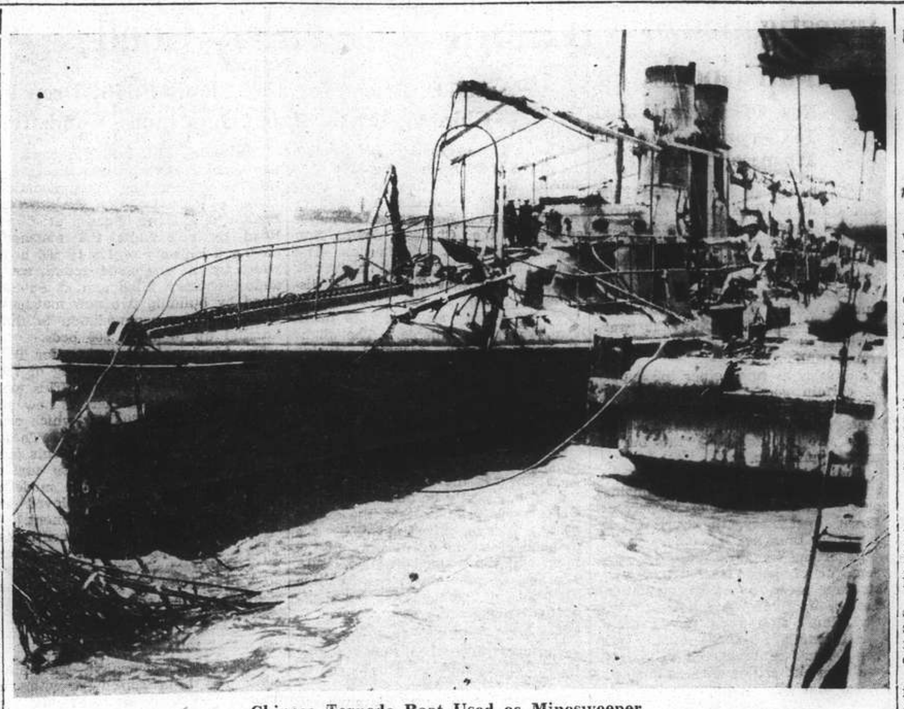
Mr. Hughes and a crew of four will attempt to make a non-stop flight from New York to Paris on behalf of the New York World's Fair to be held next year.

He said that he planned to ask the European nations to send Army and Navy fliers to the Fair as a mark of goodwill.—United Press.

Miss Amy Johnson Crashes in Glider

London, June 26.

Miss Amy Johnson, the well-known British airwoman, crashed in a glider at Walsall this afternoon when taking part in an air show organized by the Midland Gliding Club. Miss Johnson escaped injury although the machine was completely destroyed.—Havas.



Chinese Torpedo Boat Used as Minesweeper

Captured by the Japanese, this Chinese torpedo boat, the Hu Ngo, is now being used for minesweeping operations on the Yangtze near Anking. The vessel was captured near Chinkiang and was recommissioned on May 31 and renamed the Kawasemi.

Better Realization of War Situation by Foreigners

Japanese Minister-at-Large Sees Changes Since Fall of Hsuchow; Shanghai Atmosphere Clearer

Tokyo, June 27.

RAPID developments in the military situation since the capture of Hsuchow have impressed third Power nationals and given them a fuller understanding of Japan's ability, Mr. Masayuki Tani, Japanese Minister-at-Large, told newsmen here yesterday.

Even the diplomatic corps was surprised, he said, by the speedy progress of Japanese operations up the Yangtze and the occupation of Anking.

Before the fall of Hsuchow foreigners as well as Chinese were "bewildered by the Nationalist Government's wild reports, but the situation changed following the occupation of Hsuchow and the subsequent Japanese advance on the Lunghai Railway," Mr. Tani declared.

The principal object of the recent hurried trips to Hankow of foreign Ambassadors, Mr. Tani stated, "may be regarded as a desire to re-examine the general situation and the actual strength of the Hankow Government."

Mr. Tani returned here by air on Sunday from Shanghai.

Fighting for Self-interest

"The campaign for protracted resistance by the Hankow Government," Mr. Tani declared, "has gradually come to be justly regarded by the Chinese people themselves, as a policy designed for the self-preservation of Chiang Kai-shek and his group.

"Once Hankow falls, those Chinese politicians who are sincerely thinking of the future of the state and the welfare of the people will hurry to oppose the Chiang régime in order to assist the new administration."

Referring to conditions in Shanghai, Mr. Tani, said that "with a gradual understanding of the actual state of affairs by the Shanghai Municipal Council authorities the International Settlement administrative machinery will be steadily improved."

He said the assumption of office by Mr. Chikayuki Akagi as Special Deputy Commissioner of the Shanghai Municipal Police had caused satisfaction in the Japanese community.

Atmosphere Clarified

Turning to international affairs, the Minister-at-large said that the "Far Eastern atmosphere will be clarified and various problems settled smoothly when it is understood that the real intention of the Japanese Government is to protect, far from infringe, the rights and interests of third Powers."

Japan's aim, he declared, is to help the Chinese people.

Referring to alleged French assistance to the Nationalist Government, Mr. Tani said that "despite emphatic denial, France seems to be aiding the Chiang régime to some degree."

He saw no immediate prospect of a separation of the Kuomintang and the Chinese Communist Party because they are "utilizing each other."—Domei.

Dr. Stokowski and Miss Garbo in Car Accident

Famous Conductor and Actress Continue Tour

Stockholm June 26.

Dr. Leopold Stokowski, noted symphony orchestra conductor, and Miss Greta Garbo, famous Swedish American motion picture actress, narrowly escaped death near here today when their car overturned after skidding on wet pavement.

The accident occurred near Soedertailje, thirty miles south of here.

Aided by a small crowd attracted to the scene of the accident, Dr. Stokowski turned the car upright and continued on his tour of Europe with Miss Garbo.

The famous couple frequently have been reported engaged since the beginning of their tour of Europe together several months ago. Both have denied they will be married, however.—United Press.

Russia Proper Goes To the Polls

Gay Scenes Mark Election Of Supreme Council

Moscow, June 27.

Amid gay scenes of singing and dancing in the streets, the Russian Socialist Federal Soviet Republic (Russia Proper) went to the polls yesterday to elect a Supreme Council.

The R.S.F.S.R. is the largest of the eleven constituent Republics in the Soviet Union. It includes 22 autonomous Republics, which have also elected Supreme Councils.

The only nominee in each district was a candidate of the "Bloc of Party and Non-Party Bolsheviks."—Reuter.

Cologne University's 550th Anniversary

Cologne, June 27.

At the celebration of the 550th anniversary of Cologne University yesterday, the Reich Minister of Education, Herr Bernhard Rust, announced that Field Marshal Hermann Goering had made a donation of Rm. 200,000 to the University. The Minister of Education gave Rm. 100,000, Rhineland Province another Rm. 100,000 and Cologne businessmen Rm. 1,000,000 for a new institute of physics and a university stadium. The degree of honorary doctor was conferred on the Italian Minister of Education, Signor Bottai, and several others who attended the celebration.—Trans-Ocean.

Countess von Haugwitz-Reventlow May Institute Divorce Proceedings

Dispute with Danish Husband over Upbringing of Son Expected to End in Separation Settlement

London, June 26.

Countess von Haugwitz-Reventlow, is headed for divorce from her Danish husband, a close friend of the Woolworth heiress said today.

An indication of the truth of this statement was presented by the arrival from Copenhagen of Herr Henning Repsdorph, attorney to Count von Haugwitz-Reventlow, to discuss a separation settlement, it was reported.

Differences between the Count and the Countess rose largely through the controversy regarding their son's future education and upbringing, the Countess' friend said. The dispute has been brewing for several months, she reported.

She said that the Countess was making no efforts to regain her American citizenship which she had renounced earlier in the year in order to avoid payment of heavy taxes and dues.

There were conflicting reports as to whether the settlement on her husband for the granting of the divorce would involve finances.

In most banking, financial and social quarters it was denied that the Danish count had obtained management of his wife's U.S.$40,000,000 fortune, her share of her grandfather's vast estate gained through his five-and-ten cent stores.

Apparently the legal negotiations between the Count and the Countess were somewhat responsible for the relaxation of police precautions against a possible attempt to kidnap Lance, the Countess' son, by agents of the Count.

The Countess remained in Winfield House here, awaiting consultation with Herr Repsdorph, while the Count continued to live in Paris.

Danish newspapers predicted the divorce proceedings would be held in Denmark in accordance with the Count's wishes.—United Press.

Countess of Strathmore Buried at Glamis

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 27.

Their Majesties were present when the Countess of Strathmore, the Queen's mother, who died a few days ago after a long illness, was laid to rest today in the private burial grounds at Glamis Castle.

Great crowds walked the mile from the private chapel to the burial grounds with the cortege.

The Queen sent a private wreath of lilies of the valley, and also joined with the King in sending a wreath of white lilies.

Most members of the Royal Family in London were present at a memorial service at St. Martin-in-the-Fields held at the same time as the funeral in Scotland, including Queen Mary, the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, the Duke and Duchess of Kent, Princess Alice and the Earl of Athlone.

Most members of the Cabinet and the Diplomatic Corps attended the service, which was conducted by the Archbishop of Canterbury.—Reuter.

London Interest in Chinese Stand

Notable Contributors Write for "Telegraph" Supplement on China

London, June 27.

A 24-page China supplement has been published by the "Daily Telegraph."

The supplement, extensively illustrated with pictures of old and modern China, appeals for contributions to the Lord Mayor's China Fund and includes articles by General Chiang Kai-shek, who writes on "A Nation Strong in a Common Purpose," and Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan and Minister of Finance, whose subject is "The New Spirit of Unity in China."

Another article in the supplement on "Great Britain's Affinity with China in Transition" is written by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador in London.

Dr. Kuangson Young, Secretary-General to the Chinese delegation to the League of Nations and former Chinese Consul-General in London, writes on the opening of China's "vast hinterland."

Notable British Writers

Among the foreign writers, who have contributed to the supplement, is Mr. E. M. Gull, former Secretary of the British Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai, who writes on "How British Money and Advice Have Aided the Development of China."

Mr. O. M. Green, formerly Editor of the "North-China Daily News," contributes on "China's Striking Recovery in the Past Decade," while Colonel Godfrey Robert Viveash Steward, late of the Royal Inniskilling Fusilers and G.S.O.I. of the British troops in China from 1929-1936, pays tribute to the great endurance of the Chinese soldiers.

Colonel Steward says in his article that "if the Chinese soldiers were well-equipped, they would equal any troops in Asia."—Reuter.

Lord Londonderry Seeks Views of Germany

Marshal Goering Visited By British Statesman

London, June 27.

Important unofficial conversations have been carried on between the German Air Minister, Marshal Hermann Goering, and the former British Secretary for Air, Lord Londonderry, on the occasion of the latter's visit to Berlin, where he represented his country at the congress of the International Aeronautic Federation, the Berlin correspondent of the "News-Chronicle" reports.

The two statesmen examined at length all the major problems of today, with special emphasis being placed on the question of political relations between Germany and Great-Britain. The possibility of the conclusion of a renewed "Four Powers Pact" was contemplated. It is understood, the correspondent concludes, that Lord Londonderry, although he did not act in any official capacity, will report to his Government on the tenour of his conversations with the German statesman.—Havas.

Interest Payment on Austrian Loans

London, June 27.

Only five-sixth of the interest due on the seven per cent. Austrian Government loan coupons will be paid on July 9, it is announced here by the Morgan Grenfell Co., which made this announcement upon advice of the Bank for International Settlements.—Trans-Ocean.

Typhoon Hovering Near Japan Off Bonins

Tokyo Weather Bureau on Change in Course

Tokyo, June 26.

The Weather Bureau announced here tonight that the typhoon which crossed the Bonin Islands and was expected to hit Tokyo was still churning over the ocean near the Bonin Islands. The typhoon was said to be moving slowly north-westward and was not expected to hit Tokyo unless it took another change of course.

No damage has been reported from the typhoon thus far.—United Press.

Huge Conflagration At Beauvais

Paris, June 27.

A huge fire destroyed about Frs. 10,000,000 worth of wool in the warehouse of a large French rug company at Beauvais yesterday afternoon. The cause of the conflagration has not yet been ascertained.—Trans-Ocean.

Two More British Ships Sunk

Nationalist Raiders Set ss. Arlon Ablaze and Kill Several Men Aboard ss. Farnham

Valencia, June 27.

TWO more British merchantmen were bombed and set on fire in Spain today by Nationalist planes. They were the Arlon, which was hit and set ablaze during a Nationalist air raid on Valencia, and the Farnham, which was bombed at Alicante. While the Arlon suffered only one casualty, a Rumanian member of the crew being killed, the Farnham lost several men killed and injured. Although the fire has been extinguished the Farnham is expected to sink as she is badly holed amidships.—Reuter.

Valencia, June 27.

Five Nationalist bombers, in their attack, set on fire the British merchantman Arlon which later sank. The Farnham, bombed in Alicante, sank almost immediately. Three British sailors were killed and two Spanish stevedores were injured while trying to save the cargo of foodstuff.—United Press.

London, June 27.

Reports that two more British vessels were the subject of Nationalist air attacks while in Spanish Republican ports caused deep concern in political circles here.

These quarters expressed pained surprise at the renewed bombings, since reassuring messages had been received here from the Nationalists only 48 hours ago.

They consider that unless the bombings were due to a mistake or were carried out by planes independent of General Franco's authority, all previous reassuring indications should be taken as worthless.

Public opinion has been considerably shaken by the new attacks.

London was particularly shocked by the news since it had been reported that Il Duce promised Mr. Chamberlain last week that he would formally ask Gen. Franco to cease bombing British ships. Political circles believe that the planes involved in today's attacks may have been more dependent upon orders from the German air authorities than from the Nationalist leaders.

Trade Ban Considered

The "Yorkshire Post" learnt today that the British Government is considering the imposition of a ban on shipping trade with Spain by means of an amendment in the Merchant Shipping Acts.

"Supporters of the idea argue that it would prevent the atmosphere from deteriorating while the settlement of the whole Spanish question is worked out," the paper stated. "The air of impartiality worn by this proposal is however spurious. It means that the Spanish Republican Government would be deprived of supplies while Gen. Franco could continue to receive goods from Italy and the Reich. Adoption of the plan would therefore amount to a capitulation to bombings. Moreover, it would mean an economic loss to Britain, and therefore it would thwart the Government's desire to avoid proposals that would harm Britain as much as, if not more than, they would serve our purpose in stopping the air bombings."

British Agent Due Soon

Sir Robert Hodgson, the British Trade Agent in Burgos, is expected here on Thursday or before, bringing with him the Nationalist reply to the British protest against the bombing of British vessels in Spanish ports.

No temporary reply has been received through Sir Robert from the Nationalist authorities.

Entirely British Crew

An official of the steamship company which owns the Farnham, latest British vessel to be bombed by Nationalist planes in Alicante, stated today that the members of the vessel's crew were all British. The merchantman carried a cargo of supplies, notably sugar.

A non-intervention observer boarded the vessel at Gibraltar and must have been a witness to the bombing, the official concluded.

The owners of the Arlon, bombed in Valencia this morning, declared that it was possible that the vessel was in Valencia but they had received no confirmation of the bombing. The ship was recently repaired in Marseilles and is the 56th British vessel to have been bombed since the beginning of the Spanish conflict.—Havas.

Bombers Were Junkers

Alicante, June 27.

The rebel squadron which raided the harbour this morning and bombed the British vessel Farnham was composed of five Junkers.—Havas.

British Representations

London, June 27.

It is understood that the British Government, apprised of the rumoured intention of the Spanish Government to take reprisals against Italy and Germany for the air bombing of open towns, has taken steps to inform Barcelona of its views.

The Government hopes that these views will act as a deterrent against such action.

Great Britain has also informed both sides in Spain of her detestation of the "senseless butchery" which follows the bombing of non-military objectives.—Reuter.

Searchlights Play Over Il Duce's Home

Precaution Against Threat By Barcelona

Rome, June 27.

Searchlights played over Signor Mussolini's residence on the outskirts of Rome until late last night.

It was thought that this precaution had been taken in view of the threat of the Barcelona Government to carry out reprisals against Italy and Germany for air-bombings of open towns in Spain.

Official quarters said that they did not take the Barcelona threat seriously. They added, however, that should Barcelona attempt to carry it into effect, Italy's reply would be swift and decisive.—Reuter.

Exchange Rates Improve

Yesterday's exchange rates improved slightly over those quoted on Saturday.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank quotations:

£1 @ 8 1/32d.=$1.....$27.23
US.$100 @ 18 1/16c.=$1..$549.83

Sudeten Parleys in Prague Slow Down

Deadlock Feared While Hungarians, Ruthenians Seek Autonomy Status

Prague, June 26.

After five weeks of consultations over the demands of the Sudetens for autonomy, the negotiations between the Czechoslovak Government and the German minority were today apparently nearing a serious deadlock.

High Sudeten officials were the first openly to criticize the course of the discussions. They claimed that despite the Government's optimistic communiques, the "real negotiations have not even started."

Dr. Milan Hodza, the Czech Premier, they said, has failed to produce the minority reform statute for continuing maximum concessions. Instead, they said, he only advanced preliminary explanations.

Government Optimism

Government officials denied that the discussions had reached a stalemate. They said that they were preparing to consider a law giving the German language a status equal to that of the Czech tongue.

Sudeten leaders, however, emphasized that they would not accept any solution separating the pure language law from the "basic minority solution."

Indicative of the growing tension, Herr Henlein announced that he was planning to supply gas masks to all Sudetens as a "result of the anxiety caused because the population of Prague had been supplied with masks by the Government."—United Press.

Hungarian Opposition

Prague, June 26.

Adopting the same attitude as the German Sudeten Party, the Hungarian opposition group has refused to contribute to the Czech "Liberty Collection." A telegram protesting against the organization of the collection was sent to the Premier, Dr. Milan Hodza, by the Hungarian Deputies, Messrs. Jaross and Esterhazy.

The Czech President, Dr. Eduard Benes, the entire diplomatic corps, the parliamentarians, and 150,000 spectators attended a monster demonstration by the Sokol youths today at the Masaryk Stadium.

Fifty thousand young men and women demonstrated gymnastic movements in complete harmony. They were dressed in white and red while the girls were clad in blue, thus making a picturesque sight.

The presence of young Yugoslavian Sokols added an interesting touch to the proceedings. The leader of the Yugoslavian Sokols embraced his Czech colleague, while the young Sokols swore that they would maintain the traditional brotherhood between the two groups.

The question of Ruthenian autonomy will be discussed by the Council of the Sub-Carpathic Union in Pittsburgh towards the end of July and a petition may be sent to President Roosevelt and the United States Government appealing for their support for the Ruthenian claim to autonomy in Czechoslovakia.

A statement to that effect was made by M. Alexis Girovski, head of the Ruthenian delegation to the United States. He added that Dr. Milan Hodza sincerely wished to grant them their autonomy but some of the coalition parties in the Government are opposed.

Furthermore, the nationalities statute will make no reference to Sub-Carpathic Russia.—Havas.

British Guiana Sugar Plantation Strikes

Disorders Among Workers Being Quelled by Police

London, June 27.

Strikes on sugar plantations in British Guiana are continuing, according to reports received here this morning. A special train transporting a strong body of police was rushed to Berbice where fresh disorders are feared amongst the workers.

The government has issued a decree forbidding gatherings of more than five persons. No one is allowed to carry firearms or any other weapon.—Trans-Ocean.

Japanese Spokesman's Extrality Opinion

Tokyo, June 27.

Asked by a foreign correspondent regarding extraterritoriality in China, a spokesman of the Foreign Office today gave his private opinion on the subject.

Reviewing the origin and development of extraterritoriality in China, he said it was not a right claimable by countries on an equal footing but was a benefit enjoyed by foreign Powers at the expense of Chinese sovereignty.

Despite extraterritoriality granted foreign Powers by the Chinese Government during the Ching dynasty, which found it convenient to do so, the spokesman expressed the opinion that it did not exempt the Chinese Government of its obligations of giving full protection to foreign lives and property nor did it make foreign Powers depend on their own officials and troops for the protection of their own nationals resident in China.—Reuter.

British Family Censured

Judge's Comment on Shanghai Family's Treatment of Chinese Servant

THE terrible treatment meted out to a Chinese coolie-servant by a British family, by whom he was employed, drew scathing comments on the family's behaviour from Judge Sir Allan Mossop in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday, when the servant, Chu Zang-keng brought an action against his employer, Mrs. Annie Cock, for $23.33, stated to be salary due to him. He also claimed medical expenses for injuries sustained, he alleged, at the hands of Mr. David Cock, the female defendant's son.

Mr. K. E. Newman appeared for the defendants, and the coolie conducted his own case through an interpreter.

According to plaintiff, he had been working for the defendants since the hostilities at a salary of $10 per month. For a number of months however his salary had been reduced to $5. At the time of leaving his job on June 11 a total of $23.33 was owing to him, being the amount of his salaries which he had given them back to keep for him.

Defendants, who resided at Room 42, 149 Yuen Ming Yuen Road, on the afternoon of June 12, assaulted him, Mrs. Cock slapping him, and the "young master" pushing him out of the room and then punching him in the face and striking him in the side.

A medical certificate issued by the Lester Chinese Hospital, produced in court, stated that he had sustained a fractured rib and bruises to the face.

"Beaten With Piece of Wood"

Continuing his evidence the coolie stated that he had been discharged because a former coolie employed by Mrs. Cock, had come back. The assault took place after he had asked for his savings and, he further stated that while Mrs. Cock was holding his arm, the son beat him with a piece of wood.

Mr. Newman claimed that the coolie's story was untrue. He pointed out that Mrs. Cock was a widow, and, prior to the hostilities had lived in Kiangwan Road. The family had stated that the coolie was discharged for insubordination and rudeness. He had been paid, they alleged, $1.83 for eleven days wages for June due to him.

Asked by Mr. Newman whether it was true that Mr. Cock tried to push him out of the room and that he (the coolie) had struck Mr. Cock, the plaintiff replied that his hands had been held by Mrs. Cock while the other defendant struck him. He added that he had had to pawn his clothes to pay the court fees.

Miss Eleanor Gibson, American Secretary of R.C.A. Communications, stated that she lived on the same floor as the Cocks, family and that she heard a disturbance which made her think that the whole family had chased the coolie into the kitchen. Leaving her room she went out and asked Mr. Cock to pay the coolie and to stop the disturbance. Mr. Cock replied that the coolie had been paid.

When giving evidence the male defendant denied having spoken to Miss Gibson, but added that he would not go so far as to say that Miss Gibson had told a lie. When the Judge read parts of Miss Gibson's evidence to him, the defendant exclaimed "I swore before the Bible that I would tell the truth."

Slept on Stairs

Before leaving the witness stand Miss Gibson said that she had no personal interest in the coolie. He was a quiet boy, who had been made to sleep on the stairway by the Cocks. Since then she had taken pity on him, and had allowed him to sleep in her servant's quarters and had given him some money. Miss Gibson's boy stated that he had seen Mr. Cock strike the plaintiff.

The male defendant denied striking the coolie. If he had hit him it was done in self-defence and, probably, the broken rib had been sustained when he fell in the passage.

Mrs. Cock and her daughter, Miss Margaret Cock, stated that when they saw the coolie run towards the kitchen they thought that he was going for a knife. Mrs. Cock denied owing the coolie money and said that she did not keep one-third of his first month's salary as deposit.

Her former cook-boy, however, stated that it was her custom to keep some money from the wages as deposit. She still owed him $4 which had been taken as a deposit.

The Judge then remarked that if she had told a lie about the deposit what credence could he give to her story.

Summing up for the defence Mr. Newman said that the whole of the evidence was conflicting. Mrs. Cock's former boy, was in his opinion, the most reliable, as he was giving evidence against one of his own countrymen. Perhaps Mrs. Cock had kept back $3.33, but he thought that the coolie's story had been exaggerated.

'Low Paid Wretch"

The Judge:—It is corroborated in many respects by a neighbour.

Mr. Newman added that the servants had a chance to talk the matter over, and the Judge replied "The same applies to both sides."

Mr. Newman added that when the coolie ran away they thought he was going for a knife, and the Judge, interposing, said, "But why shouldn't the coolie run away from an assault?" Continuing Mr. Newman said that the coolie was probably dissatisfied and he had brought the action because his wages had been reduced.

In his summing up the Judge said "Nothing can be more mean than to keep back money from this low paid wretch, and yet we have this brave lad of a Cock going out and breaking the coolie's ribs." He thought that Mrs. Cock had been a most unreliable witness, and he gave more credence to the story of the plaintiff about the assault and the broken rib than he did to the male defendant's story. The complainant had told his story and he (the Judge) could not imagine anyone living working and living so low to earth as that.

Giving judgment for the servant for $23.33 against Mrs. Cock for wages claimed, the Judge also ordered the male defendant to pay $25 as damages for assault. Both defendants would have to pay the costs of the case, amounting to $9.

Lord Li Ching-mai Dies at Residence

Long Career with Imperial Government; Survived by His Widow and Son

Lord Li Ching-mai, a native of Hofei (Anhwei) died at his residence here yesterday.

He is the youngest son of the late Grand Secretary, Marquis Li Hung-chang, and was born in the vice-regal Yamen at Tientsin in 1876, when the late Marquis was Viceroy of Pechili.

In 1900, when the Allied Forces occupied Peking, he served as private secretary to his father who was Chinese Plenipotentiary to negotiate the peace protocol with the allied representatives. In 1901, after the death of the late Marquis, the Imperial Court conferred upon Lord Li the fourth rank Metropolitan Minister: later, the Third Rank: and shortly afterwards, the Button of the First Rank.

Following the period of mourning for the death of his father, he was appointed Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of Vienna, in 1905, when only 30 years of age, being the youngest Minister abroad. In 1907, when leaving Vienna, he was awarded the Grand Cross of the Iron Crown, by Kaiser Franz Joseph. Upon his return to China, he was appointed Provincial Judge of Honan, and held concurrently the post of Commissioner of Police. He was also given the responsibility of training the new army for Honan.

Studied Military Affairs

In 1910, when Lord Li accompanied Prince Tsai Tao, the Emperor's Uncle, abroad to study military affairs, the Imperial Court conferred upon him the First of the Second Class Double Dragon Decoration with Grand Sash. They toured Japan, America, England, France, Germany, Austria, Italy and Russia.

During their visit in London the death occurred of His Majesty King Edward VII of England. Prince Tsai Tao was appointed ambassador to represent the Chinese Imperial Court at the funeral, and Lord Li was appointed to assist him.

During their tour of the world, Lord Li was awarded by the Mikado of Japan The Grand Cross of the Sacred Treasures: by the Republic of France, Commandant de la Legion d'Honneur: by the Kaiser of Germany, The Grand Cross of the Royal Crown of Prussia: by the King of Italy, The Grand Cross of the Royal Crown: and by the Czar of Russia The Grand Cross of St. Anna. Kaiser Franz Joseph presented him with an Imperial autographed photograph bestowed generally to Ambassadors only.

Upon his return to Peking, Lord Li was appointed Lieutenant-General of the Red Border Mongolian Regiment. Later he was made junior vice-president of the Board of Interior, and then vice-president of the Board of Communications.

Lord Li was just coming into prominence in the political world at the outbreak of the Revolution in 1911, when the Emperor abdicated. Therefore, being of a leading aristocratic family, he retired to Shanghai, where he resided until his death.

Active Private Life

Although retired from political life, he led a very active private life, devoting his energies to social activities, to gardening and to home life. Until ill-health forced him to take a much needed rest there was seldom a social function that was not graced by his presence. He loved his garden, and was for several years an active member of the Committee of the Horticultural Society.

Above all he enjoyed his home life with his wife, Lady Li, and his son and daughter-in-law with their four grandchildren.

When he was nineteen, he married the daughter of the late Governor-General Bien Bao-di of Fukien, who survives him.

His only son Kuo Chao, known to all his friends as Peter, was born in the Legation of Vienna six months before their return to China. Since he came of age Peter has acted as his father's right-hand man, and is in all social circles extremely popular.

Lord Li's passing leaves a blank in social circles where his cheery personality will be much missed. His personal friends scattered throughout the world will join Shanghai friends in extending their heartfelt sympathies to his wife, son, and daughter-in-law, and grandchildren who mourn his loss.

Prominent Chinese in Tientsin Murdered

British Area Councillor Slain by Gunmen

Tientsin, June 27.

Mr. Chunta T. L. Chao, Councillor of the British municipal area of Tientsin and principal of the large Chinese Kunenhsueh School situated in the British area, was murdered by gunmen at his residence this morning

Mr. Chao, who was a former Harvard student, was a prominent Nationalist sympathizer and an influential leader of Chinese residents of the British area.

He recently received numerous threatening letters and it is assumed that the murder was primarily political.—Reuter.

Relief Fund Raised

A total of $50,000 has been raised by wealthy Chekiang merchants in Shanghai for the relief of war refugees in the province, according to Chinese reports. Half of the amount has been set aside for the relief of refugees in Tunglu, Yenchow, Shangyue, Shaoshing and Hangchow.

Costs of Legal Case

Judgment for the plaintiff for $109.30, plus $15 lawyer's fees, were given by Judge Sir Allan Mossop in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday when Najarin Singh sued Lahna Singh for $142.70, alleging that he failed to pay his share of the costs of a legal case.

Investigation of Held-up Goods

New Office Established To Co-operate With The Japanese Military

A new bureau known as "Tung Chi Chu" to take charge of goods in war zones has been established by the "Reformed Government's" Executive Yuan, according to Chinese sources yesterday.

Upon application of merchants the bureau will make investigations regarding goods within the war-stricken areas and facilitate their transportation.

Inquiries as to whether the supply of certain goods is ample or the demand for certain other goods is high within the war-stricken area, may also be made by the bureau upon application.

The bureau will have a director, two secretaries, three departmental chiefs and a staff of 15 persons. When necessary, the bureau may establish branches in other cities.

Regarding the transportation and removal of goods from the war-stricken areas, a set of regulations has been published by the "Tung Chi Chu." The main points are:

All details of goods in the war zones must be registered by owners with the authorities, such as quantity, value and other data;

Decisions by Military

Agents of the "Tung Chi Chu," accompanied by Japanese officials, will proceed to the spot where the goods are stored and make investigations.

Upon completion of investigations, a report will be made to the Japanese military authorities, with whom rest all decisions as to how to deal with such goods;

When the Japanese military authorities have decided to return the goods to the owners, the latter will be notified by the "Tung Chi Chu," and then will be allowed to remove the goods after paying a small fee amounting to three per cent. of the goods' assessed value;

When the military authorities have decided to confiscate and detain such goods, their value will be assessed jointly by the "Tung Chi Chu" and Japanese officials, and the owners will be compensated;

Should the military authorities have decided to confiscate such goods, the reason or reasons for such action will be listed in a written document which will be forwarded to the owners through the "Tung Chi Chu."

Annual Graduation at Loretto School

American College Offers 4-Year Scholarship

Sunday was red letter day for Loretto School. In the course of the graduation exercises, the announcement was made that Webster College of St. Louis, Mo., U.S.A., had offered the school a scholarship for four years.

Favoured by remarkably fine and mild weather, the graduation exercises were held in the pleasant lawn of the school's new premises at 10 Route Pottier. A large number of parents and friends of the pupils attended and enjoyed the short programme of music presented by the pupils.

Prior to the presentation of the diplomas, the Rev. Father John Magner, addressing the graduates said that, thanks to the loving care and teaching of the Sisters of Loretto, they were now fully prepared to face the world, even though conditions in the world today were terrible, but imbued with the high ideals of Christian womanhood, they, like the boat in Longfellow's poem, have been properly prepared to face all kinds of strife and stress.

The Rev. Father Lennon then presented the diplomas to the graduates The Misses Agnes Bahon Bertha d'Almeida, Rimma Kopanev Marjorie Moalem, Cecilia Ozorio, Hilda Chang, Irene Pell and Bertha Lubeck.

At the close of the presentation Father Lennon made the happy announcement that Webster College had offered a scholarship for four years to Loretto School. His words were greted with loud applause.

It is understood that the following graduates will be eligible for the scholarship: the Misses Agnes Bahon Bertha d'Almeida, Cecilia Ozorio Hilda Chang, Irene Pell and Bertha Lubeck.

The Sisters of Loretto started a school for girls in Quinsan Road in 1933 with 140 pupils and six teachers. At the close of the term in June, 1937, there were 220 pupils. Owing to the Sino-Japanese hostilities, the school secured temporary premises on Route Ferguson and when the classes re-opened in November there were only 85 pupils.

Only a few weeks ago, the premises on Route Pottier were secured and to-day the term closes with 120 pupils and ten teachers. There is accommodation for 250 pupils.

Chinese to Develop Yunnan Province

Resources Being Examined By Capitalists

To study the latest conditions and business potentialities in Yunnan province, the Association for the Promotion of Productive Enterprises has organized an inquiry commission, a Chinese report said yesterday.

A number of Chinese commercial and industrial leaders in Shanghai, who wish to invest money for the development of the rich natural resources of Yunnan, have joined the commission and will leave for the remote province early next month, the report stated.

Banks of Chientang Strengthened

A group of engineers has been organized by order of the governor of Chekiang to strengthen the bank of the Chientang River, which is in danger of collapse as a result of continued rains, Chinese reports said yesterday.

The governor has requested the Japanese military to give proper protection to the engineer corps as well as to farmers who are assigned to watch the river embankment.

Health State Fairly Good

S.M.C. Report for May Shows Slight Drop in Chinese Death Rate; Epidemics Combated

The Commissioner of Public Health S.M.C., reports for May that during the month the health position has been reasonably satisfactory and in spite of the presence of major epidemics the Chinese death rate showed a slight diminution. The rate, however, remained high but it is thought that this may be discounted owing to the fact that in previous years an accurate death rate was not available. The slight diminution which occurred during the month is at any rate satisfactory, but it is feared that with the incidence of cholera this moderately satisfactory state of affairs is unlikely to continue.

Typhus, which is mostly confined to refugee camps, showed a certain drop towards the end of the month which may partly be due to energetic measures of disinfestation, the extent of which was only limited by the number of steam disinfectors in the town and the trained staff available. The two disinfectors in the Isolation Hospital in Range Road were re-opened to meet the emergency.

A special fluid was devised for the purpose of killing lice, thus speeding up disinfestation. This proved decidedly satisfactory.

In regard to cholera, this appeared during the month in areas outside the Settlement but soon spread into the Settlement. The inoculation campaign was intensified and chlorintion of all wells was continued as a routine practice. In regard to this disease an investigation is in progress as to the best method of making more water available to areas far from water supplies.

The cholera inoculation campaign made satisfactory strides in view of the fact that no compulsory measures were feasible. The number inoculated at the end of the month was 125,279 as compared with 44,000 for the corresponding period last year. Arrangements have been improved and it is probable that the figures will grow rapidly. To these figures must be added large issues of free vaccines to other individuals, societies and institutions, who are vaccinated free. In addition assistance was given to adjacent areas by free issue of vaccine, since such measures tended to prevent its spread into this town.

In regard to the collection of coffins, this work is progressing. It must not be forgotten that even with a normal death rate of approximately 20 per mille, and a population which must have varied between one and two millions, at least 40,000 coffins would have accumulated in the Settlement during the period of disturbance. It is thought, however, that with an influx into the Settlement which numbered possibly two and a half million, the number of coffins might easily be assessed at double this figure. These coffins are not found in one centralized position, but are placed anywhere with the result that considerable work is entailed in ascertaining which are a danger to the public health and removing them (and at the same time attending to the daily deaths). Thus the figure of 33,000 cremations and the removal of several thousand other coffins outside the area, either by water or by road, cannot by any means be said to have solved the problem.

In regard to cholera statistics, it should not be forgotten that since cholera is a grave disease, many cases are diagnosed as suspected cholera in order to admit them urgently to hospital. Hence the notifications do not represent entirely correct figures, and many cases originally notified as cholera are eventually found to be of a minor nature. The same applies to the typhoid statistics.

Vital Statistics

Foreign Births.—A total of 29 foreign births were recorded during the month, including 23 residents of the International Settlement (13 males and 10 females); the rate was 6.94 per mille.

Chinese Births.—Notifications of Chinese births totalled 955 including 684 residents of the International Settlement (409 males and 475 females).

Foreign Deaths.—The number of foreign deaths increased by 5 as compared with last month and the death rate was 12.98 per mille. Of the 43 deaths recorded 53.48 per cent. were among non-Chinese Asiatics.

The major causes of death were tuberculosis, cancer and suicide.

The death rate for communicable diseases was 3.62 per mille compared with 3.02 per mille in April.

Chinese Deaths.—A total of 3,494 deaths were recorded during the month as against 4,207 for last month, giving a death rate of 35.56 per mille. Out of the total number of deaths recorded 1,768 were exposed corpses (a decrease of 1,250 from last month).

The major causes of death were tuberculosis, pneumonia and typhoid.

The death rate for communicable diseases was 4.78 per mille compared with 4.61 per mille in April.

Pathological Laboratory

May was a record breaking month; 6,666 specimens were received which is more than 1,500 in excess of the previous highest monthly total; 1,587 agglutination tests for typhus and typhoid fevers were done, a figure approximately 50 per cent. greater than the total for the whole of 1937; by improved methods of culture and the use of specially prepared type specific "O" sera (heterologous antigens having been removed by absorption) a definite positive report on the first case of cholera was issued within 18 hours of the receipt of the specimen, a celerity not previously approached; 136,529 doses of cholera vaccine were issued equivalent to 45 per cent. of the total local issue for 1937 and 13,835 doses of T.A.B. vaccine which is in excess of the usual yearly issue.

The first case of cholera was confirmed on the 18th, and 20 further cases by the end of the month; judged by laboratory results typhoid, typhus and malaria all showed an increasing incidence, the dysenteries remain stationary at a low level, the winter diseases meningitis and diphtheria have commenced to decline.

Refugees-Milk.—10,940 lb. of fresh and reconstituted milk were distributed to refugee camps for the use of under-nourished infants and nursing mothers.

Larceny Charges Against Indians

Mr. Haines Threatens to Clear the Court; Note Handed to Solicitor

Further evidence for the prosecution was heard at H.M. Police Court yesterday, when four Indians, Nika Singh, Gurcharan Singh, Harnam Singh, were charged with the larceny of certain property to the value of $2,820.60, and with conspiring to steal. The hearing followed Friday's adjournment of the case.

Continuing his evidence Sung Fahshi, a Chinese cook employed by Dilok Singh, a watchman at Lane 499, East Seaward Road, testified that he saw all the accused and some Chinese removing packages and parts of machinery on different days. Some of the packages were put on a lorry driven by Harnam Singh, and the machinery was taken away on a "baby cart" by Gurcharan Singh. In his evidence the witness referred to Gurcharan Singh as Lalou, and to Udham Singh as Mahkee.

During the evidence of Sung Fahshi a note, was handed to Mr. R. L. Stuart, representing the accused, who said that the missive was from one of the prisoners asking that the Chinese interpreter speak louder. The note alleged that the interpreter was not quoting the witness correctly.

Acting upon the suggestion of Mr. C. H. Haines, Registrar, Mr. Stuart spoke to the accused, only to find that the note had been written by an Indian standing at the back of the court. Addressing the public in court Mr. Haines said that if there was any more of this kind of interference he would clear the court.

Mr. Stuart applied for bail for the four accused, and Mr. P. Watkin Williams for the prosecution, offered no objection. Granting bail in their own recognizances of $250 each, Mr. Haines stated that the men would each have to furnish three sureties of $250. "The bail in this case will have to be quite high" he added, "and you will have to have three sureties."

FUNERAL

Mrs. Sarah Maddox

A cremation service for Mrs. Sarah Maddox, wife of Mr. Albert J. Maddox, who is in the service of the British Ambassador, was held in Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel yesterday afternoon. Deceased who only arrived in Shanghai three or four months ago, passed away at the Country Hospital on Friday evening, after a short illness. She is survived by her husband and young daughter.

The chief mourner was the husband Mr. A. J. Maddox and among the other mourners were Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, the British Ambassador, and Lady Kerr. On the coffin rested a beautiful floral tribute from "John" and Joan. The service was conducted by Dean Trivett of the Cathedral.

Among those sending wreaths were:—

Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, Lady Kerr, Wing Commander H. S. Kerby and Mrs. Kerby, The Duncans and Douglas, Javier Diaz Lina, Gwladyis Ptricketi, Kate Estley and Betty Maclay, Alice Drummond-Hay, Mrs. Jakins, Nancy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Goldie and May, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey and Pam, Hilda Pfiffy, Eva Lindquist, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fisher, Miss Austern, J. G. Shand, Miss Wright, Chang-Llang, Lang Ye Fa.

The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Messrs. Thomas Maconald & Co.

Chinese Murdered Near Siccawei

Unidentified Man Shot With Light Pistol

The French Police were yesterday investigating the murder of an unidentified Chinese of the lower class, whose body was found in Zi Hou Ka Za, near Siccawei, at daybreak on Sunday. The man apparently had been dead for several hours when discovered. He had been shot with a .32 calibre pistol, but the weapon itself was not found. The French Police are of the opinion that there is nothing political about the case.

Late yesterday no-one had come forward to identify the body.

THE Southwest Trade Mission of 13 members arrived in Chengtu from Chungking by motorcar on Sunday states a message to the "Morning Leader."

DEATH

LI.—On Monday, June 27, 1938, at his residence, 441 Avenue Haig, Shanghai, LORD LI CHING-MAI, aged 63 years, son of the late Marquis Li Hung Chang.

No funeral ceremonies and no flowers by request.

Cinema Show for War Refugees

Unusual Programme Will Be Screened Tomorrow

A programme of moving pictures will be shown by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hubert at the club rooms of the Shanghai Art Collectors Society, 55 Yuen Ming Yuen Road, on Wednesday, at 5.30 p.m. The proceeds are to go to the Jacquinot Committee of the International Relief Committee for the benefit of refugees in Shanghai.

The film "China's Refugee Problem" will show some of the work being done in the refugee camps in this city. This is the film which Father Jacquinot has taken with him to assist in raising much-needed funds for the continuance of the work. This will be an opportunity to see something of what is being done for the thousands of poor refugees, without the discomfort of wading through muddy camps. This picture is being shown for the first time in Shanghai.

The balance of the one hour programme will be natural colour pictures of the Philippine Islands.

The climax will be scenes in the mountains of Northern Luzon among the Pagan tribes, where the people live very close to nature, as of old. In spite of their lack of sophistication these natives,' most prized possessions are their pieces of Ming pottery, the pictures of which will be interesting to members of the Society under whose auspices this show is being given.

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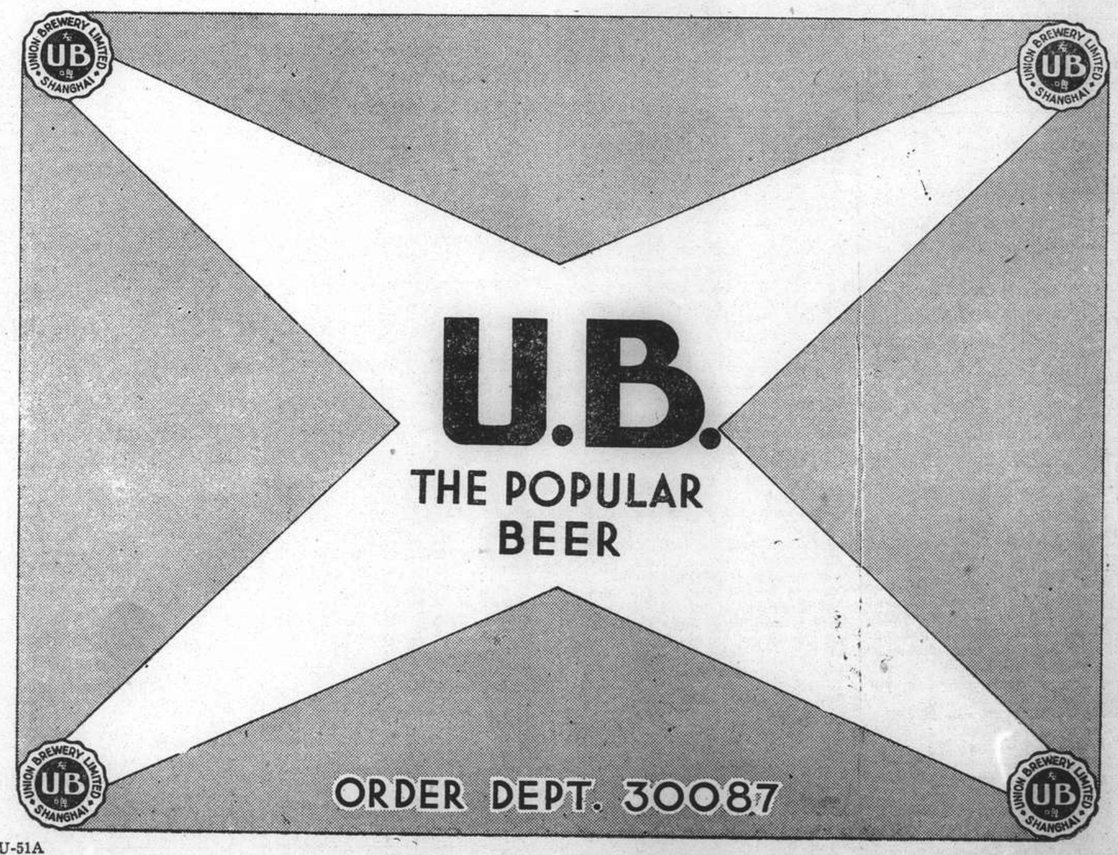

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THE Swedish Minister Baron Johan Beck-Friis is sailing today in the Empress of Russia for Hongkong from where he will proceed to Hankow.

THE daily report of refugee work for June 26 follows:— No. of Camps under inspection by Public Health Department 127; No. of refugees therein 72,070.

THE annual social meeting of the Shanghai Medical Society will be held on June 30, at 6.30 p.m., at the Cercle Sportif Français. Dinner will be served at 8 p.m.

THE Pipes and Drums of the 1st Battalion of the Seaforth Highlanders will beat retreat today at 6 p.m. on the grass course opposite the Race Club grandstand.

THE total sum received by the Municipal Council to June 23 in respect of contributions under the voluntary entertainment levy, covering a period of five months January 20 to June 22, 1938, amounted to $121,042.54.

THE Central Government authorities have decided to designate July 7, the first anniversary of the Lukouchiao incident which led to the current nation-wide Sino-Japanese hostilities, as "Resistance and National Revival Day," states a dispatch to the "Hwa Mei Chen Pao."

MR. Tao Hsin-chih, sponsor of the Hsiaochuan Normal College and the "working-through-school movement" here, who was recently appointed a member of the People's Political Assembly, is now returning to China after an extensive tour in the United States, says a message to the "Sin Wan Pao."

THE general manager of the Eurasia Aviation Corporation, Mr. Li Ching-tsung, arrived in Chengtu from Chungking by 'plane on Sunday morning, states a dispatch to the "Hwa Mei Chen Pao." After a brief stop-over in Chengtu, it is stated, Mr. Li continued his trip to Yunnanfu in the same 'plane.

THE University of Chungking held its third graduation exercises on Sunday morning says a dispatch to the "Standard." Seventy-four students, it is reported, received degrees, 16 of them belonging to the college of science, 23 to the college of engineering and 13 and 22 to special courses on business and physical education respectively.

A Brass Band Concert will be given in the Koukaza Park (weather permitting) this afternoon, at 5 p.m. by the Municipal Brass Band. The programme is as follows:—

March from "La Reine de Saba" Gounod
Overture "Mirella" ..... Gounod
Entracte "Cherries" ..... Cremieux
Selection "Romeo and Juliet" .. Gounod
Dance "Le Pilou—Pilou" ..... Glerice
Ballet Music from "La Source" Delibes
Suite "Coppelia" ..... Delibes

SPONSORED by the Polish Youth Association, a garden party will be held at the Polish Legation, 26 Route Delastre, on Sunday in celebration of the Polish Sea Festival. There will be a programme of Polish music and a lecture on the development of Polish maritime interests. Among those attending the party will be the Polish Minister and the Consul-General for Poland.

THE Control Commissioner for Kiangsi and Anhwei, Mr. Yang Liang-kung, who recently proceeded from Nanchang to Hankow to report to the President of the Control Yuan, Mr. Yu Yu-jeh, on the results of the recent inspection tours in the two provinces, returned to Nanchang on June 23, states a dispatch to the "Standard." Mr. Yang, it is stated, was to leave for Kiukiang on Saturday en route to Pingtseh and Hsiangkou to inspect the dyke work on the Yangtze River.

THE local Post Office announces that direct air mail for Japan will be accepted for posting from the July 1, and it is limited for the present to registered and ordinary letters and postcards. The postage required for such mail is 40 cents per 20 grammes (or fraction thereof) for letters, and 20 cents for each postcard, in addition to the ordinary postage plus registration fee, if registered. The direct air mail for Japan will be despatched three times a week, i.e., on every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

THE committee of the St. Andrew's Society entertained Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, British Ambassador, to luncheon yesterday at the Shanghai Club. Amongst those present were—Mr. R. D. Murray, President and Mr. W. J. Keswick, Vice-President of the Society; Brig.-Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, Dr. T. M. Burton and Messrs Ranald McDonald, Rod. G. MacDonald, C. W. Porter, J. Macbeth, T. Hutchison, Wm. Lyle, W. P. Marshall, E. McLaren, L. G. Murray Kidd, A. Pollock, A. Y. Tait, J. D. Watt, T. W. R. Wilson, A. M. Kennedy, C. B. Blaikie, and D. MacDonald. The President proposed the health of the Ambassador which was drunk with acclamation, there were no official speeches.

THE Shanghai Municipal Council health report for the week ending midnight, June 25, shows that the total number of deaths from all causes amongst the foreign and Chinese population in the Settlement were—Foreigners 9, and Chinese 687. Deaths from notifiable diseases were—Foreigners, Diphtheria 1, Typhoid Fever 1, and Chinese, Typhoid Fever 42; Cholera 28; Tuberculosis 28; Typhus Fever 10; Dysentery 9; Cerebrospinal Fever 4; Beri-beri 4; Relapsing Fever 4; Diphtheria 3; Scarlet Fever 2; Measles 2 and Smallpox and Influenza 1 each. Out of 257 cases notified, 137 have not been proved to be genuine cholera yet.

THE Silver Nationalization Movement, initiated in Kwangtung some time ago, has achieved highly encouraging results, says a dispatch to the "Sin Wan Pao." The total absorption of the white metal by the Kwangtung Provincial Government, it is reported, reached $5,500,000 in March and $5,000,000 in April. Apart from collection in cities and towns, the provincial authorities are now sending agents to push the movement in various districts and villages in the countryside. According to the nationalization measures, the provincial authorities have been paying a 20 per cent premium on coins and articles of pure silver content and taking mixed silver grains, bars, and wares at the value of their silver contents.

Hector to Leave This Afternoon

Foylebank, Niel Maersk, Hopecrest Arrive Today; Fushimi Maru Sails

The Blue Funnel ss. Hector sails from Holt's Wharf, for Weihaiwei, Taku Bar, Tsingtao and Japan ports, today at about 3 p.m. Her passengers are to be conveyed by tender from the Customs Jetty, at noon. Leaving the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf, the Empress of Russia sails for Hongkong and Manila today at 5 a.m.

According to present arrangements, the Salen Line mv. Hopecrest arrives from Taku Bar this afternoon at buoys 15-16. She is to stop in port for about three days and sail on or about July 1, for Hongkong, Manila, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland. Messrs. Wallem & Co. are local agents for the Salen Line.

It is announced that the American Oriental Line mv. Foylebank should arrive from New York and berth at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf, this afternoon, and leave on or about July 1 for America via Manila.

Sailing for Aden, Naples, Marseilles, London, Antwerp and Rotterdam, the N.Y.K. Fushimi Maru leaves the company's wharf today at 11 a.m. The registered mail for this ship should be posted before 7.30 a.m., ordinary by 8 a.m.

Niel Maersk Arrives

Latest information received from the Maersk Line offices states that their mv. Niel Maersk is due from New York, and way ports including Kobe, at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, sometime this afternoon. She sails on the following day for Hongkong, Manila, Cebu and Iloilo. Registered mail to catch this ship should be posted before 9.30 a.m. and ordinary by 10 a.m. The same company's mv. Anna Maersk arrives from Manila and Hongkong, at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, on June 30 and sails on the following day for Kobe, Nagoya, Yokohama, Los Angeles, Panama and New York.

Arriving from Kobe, the Swedish East Asiatic Co. mv. Peiping should tie up at buoys 12-13, on June 30. She sails on the following day for Tripoli, Algiers, Oran, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg, Olso and Gothenburg.

Sailing for Nagasaki tomorrow from the company's wharf, the N.Y.K. Shanghai Maru leaves at 9 a.m. Registered mail for this ship should be posted today before 7 p.m. and ordinary tomorrow by 7.15 a.m. The D.K.K. Tsingtao Maru leaves for Tsingtao and Dairen, from the company's wharf, today at 11 a.m. Registered mail should be posted before 8 a.m. and ordinary by 8.30 a.m.

Leaving for Tsingtao, Chefoo and Tientsin, Jardine Matheson & Co.'s ss. Chaksang sails from Holt's Wharf today at 11 a.m. A passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 10 a.m. The B. & S. Kingyuan sails from the French Bund today at 11 a.m. for Amoy and Hongkong.

Passengers

Among those who sailed in the ss. Empress of Canada, for Victoria and way ports, yesterday, were:

Mr. S. Tweedie, Mrs. A. E. Mandel, Mr. J. L. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Monk and two children, Mrs. W. Hunt and daughter, Mr. G. F. R. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allan and daughter, Mrs. H. Dabelstein, Mrs. Ellen and Master Schifer, Maj. A. Bassett, Mr. T. R. Scanlon, Mr. S. R. Price, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Reilly and two children, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Biesel, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Guss and daughter, Mr. J. P. Satterwhite, Mr. W. J. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Notrica and daughter, Maj. and Mrs. L. Fabre, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Dunn and two daughters, Mr. M. N. E. Sassoon, Dr. G. Rosen, Mr. R. B. Goodfellow, Mr. J. Albeck, Mr. K. H. Massellmann, Mr. W. Golding, Mr. R. D. K. Silby, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans, Mr. M. Summers, Mme Mettei, Mrs. E. Goldan, Mrs. R. E. Fassler, Master H. W. E. Hosking, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gubbay, Mrs. D. H. Blake, Mrs. M. A. Maver, Mr. and Mrs. A. McGregor and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kapustin, Mr. and Mrs. S. Alcone, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. A. Moller, Mr. A. Schona, Mr. F. G. Jones, Mr. Y. Ito, Mr. S. Takeya, the Rev. J. G. Magee, Lieut. A. M. Watman, Lieut.-Comdr. N. L. Damen, Comdr. Goodhue, P. McDonnell (child), Mr. F. J. Ruthland, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Gillet and two children, Miss G. L. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. G. Schierhou, Mr. E. F. Stanton, Mr. W. J. Sutherland, Mr. R. J. McNicol, Mr. M. K. Gutbetzahl, Miss F. G. McCullock, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Walline, Mr. C. Heynes, Dr. G. Martin, Miss G. Strickland, Mr. R. R. Davis, Mrs. E. Sawdon, Mr. and Mrs. Tsepkin, Miss A. Pellegrina, Mrs. O. L. Dawson, Miss and Masters O. L. and J. B. Dawsch, Miss B. J. Collin, Mr. S. H. Whitner, Mr. J. B. Ness, Mr. L. T. Boole, L. Whahamaki (child), Bergher (child), Miss Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boone, Mr. W. L. Begier, Rev. and Mrs. H. Van Dyck, Miss M. Kowalski, Miss F. E. Williamson, Mrs. O. F. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. F. Berndt, Mr. and Mrs. P. Sullivan and three children, Mr. B. P. Roques, Mrs. Dorrance, Miss N. P. Lvoff, H. Taylor (child), Mr. V. Leonoff, Mrs. L. M. Selivansky, Mrs. L. P. Lisunov, Mrs. H. B. Taylor, Mrs. W. May, Miss B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. Palk and child, Mrs. L. R. Craighill and three children, Mrs. V. Essoyan, Miss M. Taylor, Mrs. M. Menahem and three children, Mrs. M. S. Bates and son, Miss H. Koshin, Mrs. E. L. Goncharoff and child, and Mrs. E. L. Healey and two daughters.

Those who arrived from Vancouver and way ports, in the ss. Empress of Russia, yesterday, included:

Mr. G. Amberg, Lieut. C. L. C. Atkinson, Mr. C. A. Broome, Mr. M. E. Blackmar, Mr. G. A. Churchill, Mr. C. G. Chancellor, Mrs. L. D. Cullings, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Cabbott, Mr. S. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kabalkin, Mr. C. de W. Janzen, Mr. F. E. Lintilhac, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Marden, Mrs. A. J. S. and Miss D. Parkhill, Mr. G. Picciotto, Mr. and Mrs. F. Petersen, Mrs. D. Russel, Mr. K. Suganuma, Mr. and Mrs. G. Tate and two children, Mr. and Mrs. G. Thompson, Lieut.-Comdr. C. D. Fouteh, Mr. H. A. Dutschke, Mrs. J. S. Fraser, Mr. F. E. Hagnauer, Mr. B. A. Jost, Mr. and Mrs. M. King, Mr. P. Komor, Mrs. E. Lawler and daughter, Mrs. M. Mildner, Mrs. H. G. Roming, Mr. P. D. Spouse, Mr. S. Sasaki, Miss M. Topping, Mrs. J. T. and Miss D. Williams.

Among those who left for Chinwangtao, in the ss. Kaiping, on Sunday, were:

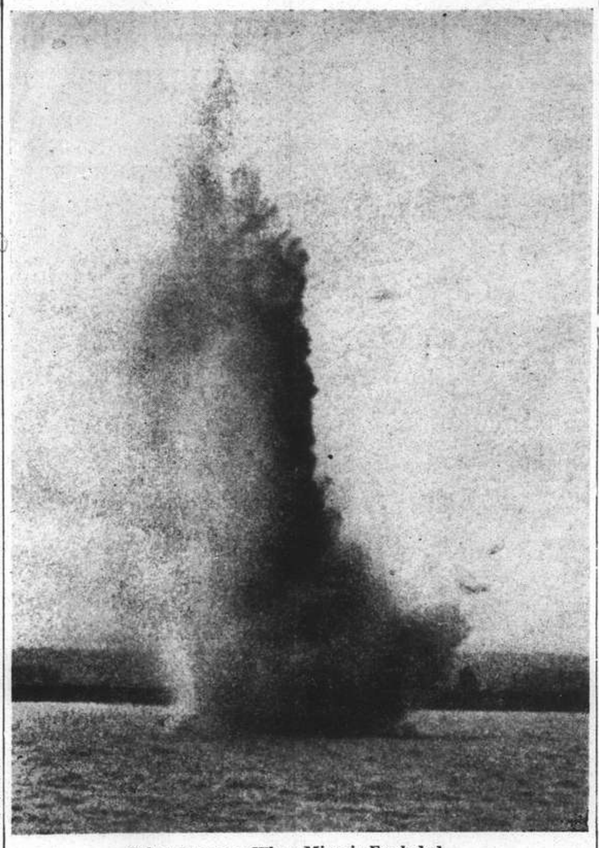
Mrs. J. H. Arthur, Mrs. Drog, Mrs. H. F. Baker, Mrs. R. Heyn, Mrs. Boniface, Mrs. G. G. C. Harper, and Mrs. R. H. Box.

Chinese Sells Cholera Certificates, Dies

Citing it as an example of carrying a good thing too far, the Shanghai Nippo, local Japanese daily, yesterday evening reported that an unnamed Chinese coolie living in Pootung had died of heart failure after allegedly receiving 20 anti-cholera inoculations.

The Chinese, the daily said, had not undergone the treatment so many times because of his zeal to be protected from the disease. His motive, the daily charged, was lucre.

To his superstitious friends who feared it was "bad joss" to be "shot in the arm" or those who were squeamish, because of the accompanying reaction, he sold his certificates for 20 cents.



What Happens When Mine is Exploded

A geyser of 150 feet caused by the explosion of a Chinese mine in the Yangtze River near Anking. The mines are brought to the surface by nets used by Japanese minesweepers and then fired at by machine-guns to explode them.

"Hit-and-Run" Driver Kills Pedestrian

Alleged Japanese Truck Without Plates Sought

A Chinese of the coolie class, about 40 years old, was knocked down and fatally wounded by a motor-truck in North Szechuen Road, near the Dah Tuh Li, at 10.15 o'clock yesterday morning.

The truck, which had no licence plates, failed to stop after the accident. According to some reports, the driver was Japanese, but it could not be established whether it was a military or civilian vehicle.

The Chinese was picked up by a Fire Brigade ambulance and taken to St. Luke's Hospital. He was pronounced dead on admission.

Unrecognized American Sentenced

Found guilty on charges of fraud, Victor Elliott, 39-year old unrecognized American, was sentenced to one year's imprisonment by Judge Tsoong in the First Special District Court yesterday.

According to the prosecution, the accused borrowed $60 from Captain H. A. Bakke on May 18 on the pretext of paying Customs dues for three sixteen mm. movie cameras. The accused was also alleged to have borrowed $15 from Dr. H. H. Morris on June 17 by the similar method.

The unrecognized American was arrested on June 19. He was said to have defrauded Mr. L. Paul, Rumanian, of $25, on June 4.

German Ambassador Leaves Hankow

Hankow, June 27.

The German Ambassador to China, Dr. Oskar P. Trautmann, left Hankow yesterday to return to Germany. The Chinese Foreign Minister, Dr. Wang Ching-hui, as well as numerous high Chinese officials, appeared at the station to take leave of the Ambassador.—Trans-Ocean.

Tobacco Factory Planned

A new factory will be opened by the Hwa Mei Tobacco Company here, Chinese scurces reported yesterday. Damage amounting to $600,000 was suffered by the company's factory in Tongshan Road during the hostilities around Shanghai, the reports said.

Foreign Admirals Inspect Yangtze

Vice-Admiral Le Bigot, Commander of the French Naval Forces in the Far East, has returned from an inspection cruise to Wuhu and Nanking on Sunday in the French gunboat Dumont D'Urville, returning from a six days' cruise in the lower Yangtze.

Arriving yesterday, Admiral H. E. Yarnell, Commander of the American Asiatic Squadron, returned from a four days' cruise to Nanking and Wuhu in the U.S.S. Isabel.

Changchow Returning To Normal

Most of Buildings in City Were Destroyed by Bombs

Changchow on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway is gradually returning to normal, according to a refugee arrived in Shanghai from that city, a Chinese report said yesterday.

Extensive damage was done to the city during the hostilities, about 80 per cent. of the buildings being destroyed in air raids.

The city's population, which was about 60,000 before the hostilities, is only about 10,000 now. Matsheds have been erected to house the residents.

Small shops have opened again. Order is being maintained by a police force under an Autonomous Commission. Communications have been restored.

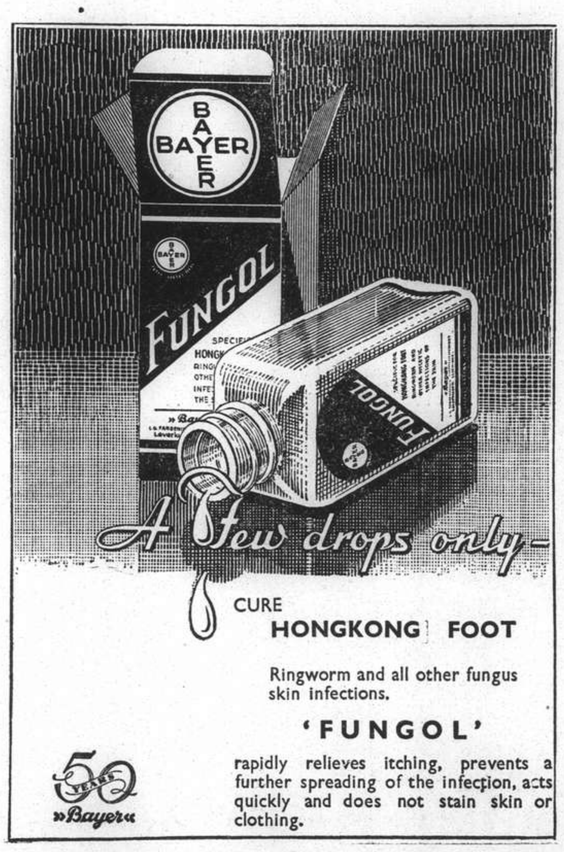
Arrangements are being made by the Japanese Army and the "Reformed Government" authorities to reopen factories in the city.

Chinese Plan Factories In Hongkong

Companies Whose Property Was Ruined in Shanghai

A number of Shanghai Chinese factory owners, whose properties were destroyed or whose factories were forced to close during the hostilities, are planning to establish new factories in Hongkong, according to Chinese sources yesterday.

Reasons given for their plans were that Hongkong is a free port, it is easier and cheaper to obtain raw materials there, and the British colony is a better centre of distribution than Shanghai.



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U.S. Bankers to Aid Small Business

Treasury and F. R. System Compromise to Allow for Freer Investments

Washington, June 26.

Furthering the Administration's drive to break the current business recession, Mr. Marriner Eccles, head of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury, today reached a compromise agreement whereby more liberal investment policies will be inaugurated for the nation's banks.

The Department of Treasury announced today that the new regulations would go into effect on July 1 to eliminate bankers' "fear complex" and pour millions of dollars into circulation. Small business will be one of the major beneficiaries of the new regulations.

"Obligations of Fair Value"

For the first time since the present regulations were imposed on national banks, the banks will be able under the new code to invest in small and sound enterprises without fear of being "blacklisted" by Federal bank examiners. The new regulations specify that banks may invest in "obligations of fair value," while the present regulations require that investments be made in readily marketable securities registered on at least one stock exchange.

Mr. Eccles had contended that this regulation ruled out investments in many small firms which could not afford the expenses of being listed on stock exchanges.

The new regulations also permit investment in securities maturing in less than ten years providing repayment of 75 per cent. of the principal is made at the date of maturity. The present regulations require full payment.

The compromise between the Federal Reserve System and the Treasury Department gave Mr. Eccles his demands for more liberal investment policies, while Mr. Morgenthau won guarantees for bank depositors.

The Treasury Department admitted that although the new regulations will require securities in the form of bonds or note debentures, in effect they will permit loans to small business for issued security described in the regulations as "realistic."

The Treasury Department said the new regulations eliminated much from the old system which was merely traditional and established the procedure on a "more practical basis."—United Press.

Cotton Bales on Fire

Three bales of cotton were virtually destroyed by fire at the N.Y.K. No. 7 godown, Yangtszepoo Road, early yesterday afternoon.

Swedish Celebration in Delaware Valley

President Roosevelt and Crown Prince to Attend

Wilmington, Del., June 26.

Dr. Wollmar Filip Bostrom, Swedish Minister to the United States, announced here today that Crown Prince Gustav Adolf of Sweden would arrive here today in the ss. Kungsholm to take part in Monday's opening ceremonies commemorating the 300th anniversary of the founding of the New Swedish Valley settlement in Delaware.

The Minister said he feared the Crown Prince would not be able to appear at the opening ceremonies, however, as he is suffering from a painful but not critical recurrence of a kidney ailment. The Crown Prince's son, Prince Bertil, will deputize for his father if the Crown Prince has not recovered by tomorrow.

President Roosevelt left Washington for here tonight to take part in the opening ceremonies tomorrow.—United Press.

Dr. Goebbels Visits Danzig Free City

Danzig, June 26.

Dr. Paul Goebbels, the German Minister of Propaganda, arrived here this morning from Berlin, on the occasion of the closing of the Nazi Culture Week. He promised to come to Danzig every year during the Nazi Culture Week. He made no political references in his address and left for Berlin this afternoon by air.—Havas.

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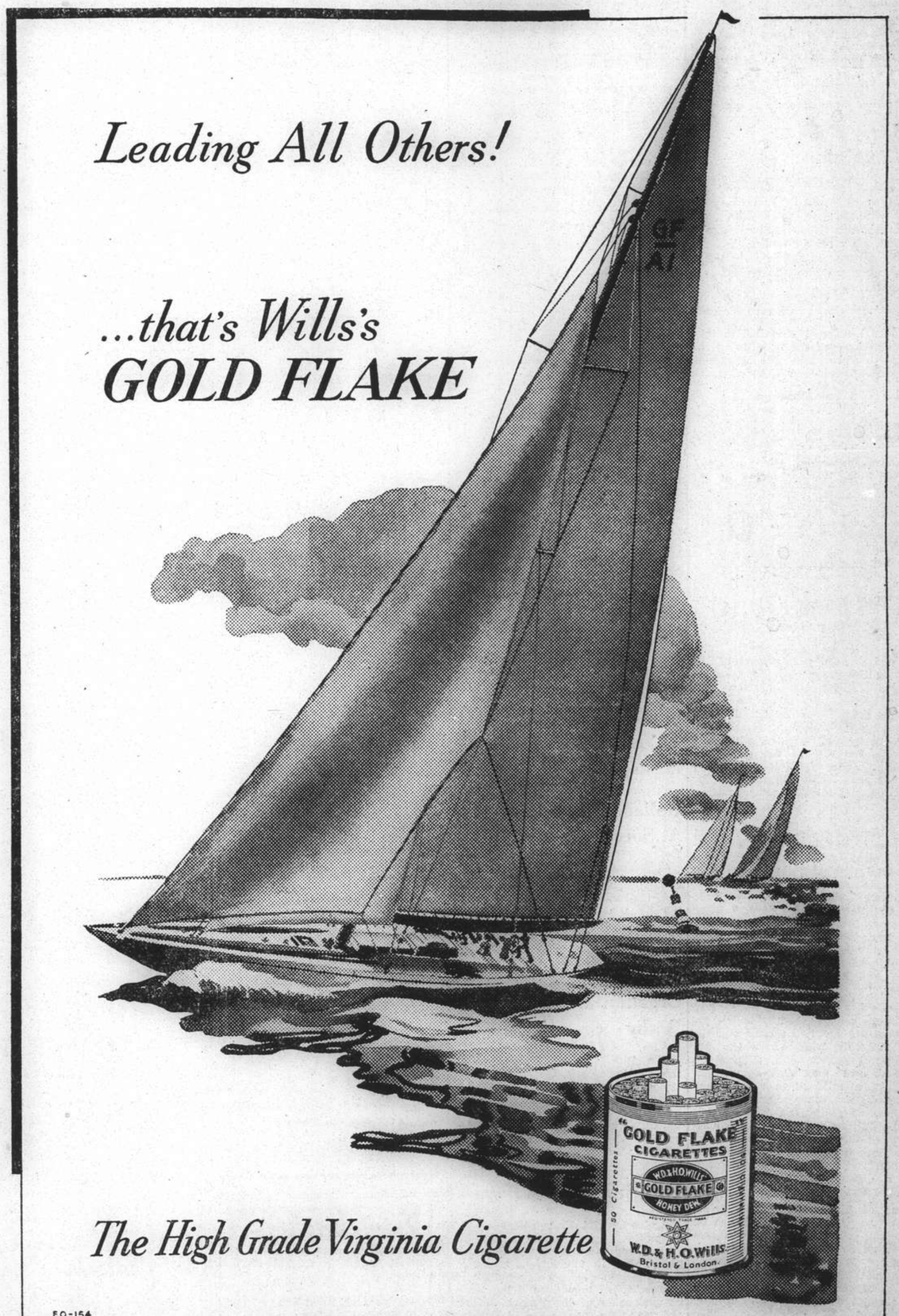


THE SPORTS PAGE

Draw Likely in 2nd Test

Australia All Out for 422 after Stubborn Stand by Tail; Rain Interferes

London, June 27.

A DRAW in the Second Test match at Lord's seems inevitable as a result of rain, which interrupted play for a few hours, and a stubborn stand by Australia's tail today. The Australians, whose score stood at 299 for five at the close of play on Saturday, not only saved a follow-on but actually passed the 400 mark. With O'Reilly contributing 42 in an aggressive knock, the Australian innings realized 422, or only 72 behind England. O'Reilly's 42 included two 6's—both in succession off Verity—and five 4's. Brown, however, was the saviour of the side, with a stolid innings for 206.

Another capacity crowd was present today, the gates again having to be closed before the start of play.

It is generally agreed that Lord's is not big enough for Tests. The ground was uncomfortably packed on Saturday with 34,000 people, whereas, it is pointed out, the Melbourne ground can accommodate 90,000.

Morning's Play

In cloudy and threatening weather Brown (140) and Barnett (6) resumed their innings this morning to the bowling of Farnes and Verity.

A capacity crowd was then present, the gates having been closed at 10.45.

After Saturday's closing score of 299 had been brought to 307 Barnett mishit Verity's fourth ball and was caught by Compton at cover for eight (307 for six).

Chipperfield, recovered sufficiently from his finger injury to play again, was out leg-before to Verity after making only one. He was beaten by a slower ball (308 for seven).

O'Reilly was morally bowled by the first ball from Verity, who was bowling well on a wicket seeming to take spin.

Brown reached his 150 after 275 minutes.

Follow-on Averted

Hitting with a gusto, O'Reilly sent Farnes and Wellard to the tapes and carried the score beyond 344, thus saving a follow-on.

The batsman celebrated this by hitting two successive sixers off Verity, who was replaced in the next over by Wright. The latter bowled O'Reilly with his second ball, but it was a no-ball.

Brown, batting beautifully, sent Wright to the off boundary twice in brilliant fashion, but in the next over O'Reilly was bowled by Farnes.

The retiring batsman gave a sparkling display in scoring 42, the result of an innings lasting 45 minutes. His score included two 6's and five 4's (393 for eight).

McCormick was dismissed for a "duck" with the first ball he received from Farnes, being caught by Barnett at short leg (393 for nine).

Rain Interrupts

Fleetwood-Smith was missed by Compton at second slip in the same over.

Bad light and rain then interrupted play. The score-board read 393 for nine, with Brown at 184, when the teams returned to the pavilion.

The rain became worse subsequently, and it was not possible to resume before lunch.

England—494

Australia—1st innings

Fingleton, c. W. R. Hammond, b. Wright	31
Brown, not out	206
Bradman, b. Verity	18
McCabe, c. Verity, b. K. Farnes	38
Eassett, l.b.w. Wellard	56
Radcock, b. Wellard	0
Barnett, c. Compton, b. Verity	8
Chipperfield, l.b.w. Verity	1
O'Reilly, b. Farnes	42
McCormick, c. Barnett, b. Farnes	0
Fleetwood-Smith, c. Barnett, b. Verity	7
Extras	15
Total	422

Fall of wickets:—69-1 (Fingleton); 101-2 (Bradman); 152-3 (McCabe); 276-4 (Hassett); 276-5 (Badcock); 367-6 (Barnett); 382-7 (Chipperfield); 393-8 (O'Reilly); 393-9 (McCormick).—Reuter.

Local Softballers Swing Into Action

Buccaneers Upset Marine Officers

Tight pitching, errorless fielding and fine batting in the pinches enabled the Foreign Y.M.C.A. Buccaneers to defeat the champions, the U.S. Marine Officers, in the main attraction of yesterday's softball programme. The match took place at the Race Course and ended with the civilians winning by 4-2.

The Buccaneers played faultlessly throughout the seven innings. C.C. "Dud" Squires further proved that he is unquestionably the best pitcher in the League by holding the Officers down to two bingles which drove in the runs on the losing side. Jack Riley was the clouting hero on the buccaneers' roster, batting in two of his team's four markers.

The teams lined up as follows:—

Marine Officers	pos.	Buccaneers
White	p	Squires
Allen	c	Morang
Funk	1b	Ryan
Winecoff	2b	Riley
Blais	3b	Krause
Master	ss	Carson
Wilde	lf	Smith
McHaney	rf	Burton
Nickerson	cf	Inwood
Stivers	lf	Beasley

Score by Innings

Marines	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—2
Buccaneers	0	0	1	1	2	0	x	—4

Cricket Club Beaten

The Shanghai Cricket Club known as Cryptics in the League lost their debut to the American Club in another game at the Race Course. The score read 15-6. The winners bunched their runs in the first and fifth innings, tallying 5 and 7 in respective order.

At the Columbia Country Club the home team trounced the Shanghai Race Club 9-0 through superior all-round play. On the Shanghai American School grounds only one encounter was being played and that was between St. Francis Xavier's College and the Foreign "Y" Cubs. The French collegians won 15-12 after a grand rally in the last two chukkers. The other match between the Shanghai Recreation Club and the Rowing Club failed to take place because of the inability of the Recs to show up. The Oarsmen, therefore, received a walkover.

Team Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
American Club	3	0	1.000
Buccaneers	2	0	1.000
Columbia Country Club	2	0	1.000
Marine Officers	1	1	500
S'hai Recreation Club	1	1	500
Rowing Club	1	1	500
S'hai Race Club	1	1	500
St. Francis Xavier	1	2	333
Cryptics	0	1	000
Xaverians	0	1	000
Jewish Recreation Club	0	1	000
Philippines	0	1	000
Cubs	0	2	000

Close of Play Score

England—2nd Innings

Barnett, c. McCabe, b. McCormick	12
Hutton, c. McCormick, b. O'Reilly	5
Verity, not out	5
Edrich, not out	6
Extras	11
Total (for 2 wickets)	39

Heavy Rain At Wimbledon

Wimbledon, June 27.

Owing to heavy rain, there is little prospect of play today. If the rain should cease, however, play may be possible on the centre courts, which are covered with tarpaulin.—Reuter.

Tail-Wagger Chats

By Philokuon

An authority of 60 years ago pleaded for the preservation of the bulldog because of his incomparable powers of infusing courage into other breeds. Wherever we get a bulldog cross it acts beneficially. Of course, the classic example is that afforded by Lord Orford, who lived towards the end of the eighteenth century. Being of opinion that greyhounds were lacking in stoutness, he introduced a bulldog cross and, no doubt, must have incurred a good deal of ridicule for doing so, yet the results fully justified his expectations. In five or six generations all physical traces of the bulldog had disappeared and the greyhounds that then came showed by their prowess that they had benefited considerably by the new blood that had been brought in. It should be understood, however, that the bulldogs of those days were higher on the leg, longer in the head than those of the present time, and had really very shapely bodies.

Two other crosses that have given us breeds distinguished by their fearlessness are the bull terrier and the bull mastiff, both of which are wonderful guards, and, if properly trained, are excellent companions also. The bulldog-terrier cross was made a great many years ago with the idea of giving the dour courage of the bulldog and the dash and activity of the terrier. These crosses must have been made indiscriminately at first without the object of forming a distinct new breed, as happened later.

One of Sir Walter Scott's prime favourites was Camp, that he called a bulldog-terrier, and that was characterised by his devotion and intelligence. The day that Camp died Scott had a dinner engagement but he apologised for failing to keep it on account of the death of a dear old friend. His daughter recorded that as he buried Camp he had the saddest expression of face that she had ever seen in him.

German Girl High-jumps New Record Height

Berlin, June 27.

The German woman athlete Dora Ratjen of Bremen at an athletic competition in Goettingen established a new world record in the high-jump for women by jumping 5 ft. 5.35 in. The previous record was held for many years by the American women athletes Shirley and Didrikson.—Trans-Ocean.

Holland Beats Colony At Soccer

Amsterdam, June 27.

The Netherlands East Indian football team, which participated in the world championships, was defeated 9-2 by the Holland national team before 55,000 spectators at the Olympic Stadium here yesterday. The score at halftime was 5-2.—Trans-Ocean.

Orgelton Wins German Derby

Hamburg, June 27.

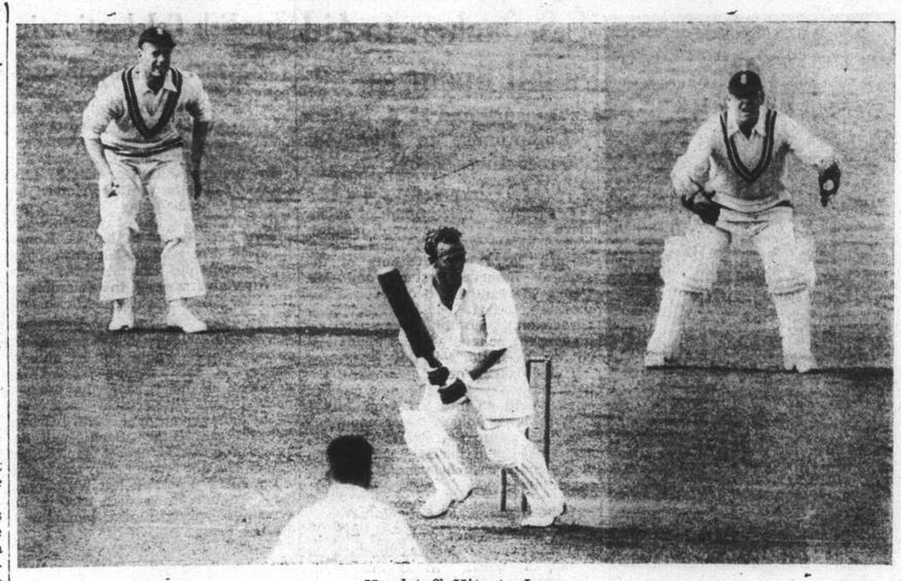
The 70th German Derby, which was run here yesterday on the traditional Horner track, was won after a close finish by Orgelton, followed by Elbgraf and Majoran. The highly touted Adlerfee came in sixth. Odds on the winner were 114 to 10.—Trans-Ocean.

Frenchman Beats Haynes

Paris, June 21.

Andre Lenglet, French heavyweight champion, tonight scored a decision over Leroy Haynes, husky Philadelphia negro, in ten furious rounds.

Haynes, long a popular fighter in Europe, failed to withstand the terrific onslaughts of the French battler, at one time considered a coming "white hope." The Frenchman weighed 207 pounds and Haynes 205½.—United Press.



Hardstaff Hits to Leg

The annual Whitsun holiday cricket fixture between Nottingham and Surrey was played recently at Trent Bridge. The picture shows Hardstaff, now on England's Test side, turning a ball from Gover to leg.

"King Carl" Hubbell Chalks Up 200th Victory for Giants

Receives Strong Support in Trouncing Cubs 5-1; Rain Interferes with Major Leagues

New York, June 26.

CARL Hubbell, veteran hurler of the New York Giants, today proved that he is the "King of the Mound" when he hurled his 200th victory for the Terrymen, beating the Chicago Cubs, 5-1. Although the 200 wins chalked up by Hubbell is not a record, the leading Terryman twirler added one more achievement to his already long list of feats and records.

In 1936, for the third time in his career Hubbell led the pitchers of the National League in earned run percentage, his average being 2.31 for 304 innings hurled. He also had the best won and lost record with 26 victories and 6 defeats for a percentage of .813 to become the seventh pitcher since 1912 to achieve the dual honour.

In 1933 he led the league with an earned run average of 1.66 for 309 innings and he repeated in 1934 with 2.09 for 313 innings.

Many Records

He ran up the longest consecutive winning streak, 16 games, in 1936. He started it on July 17 against the Pittsburgh Pirates and the string remained unbroken as the season closed. It was the longest string compiled by a National League pitcher since Richard Marquard's 19 in 1912, also made for the Giants.

He continued the streak in 1937 by winning his first eight tussles of the season to stretch the total to 24, being stopped by the Brooklyn Dodgers, May 31.

By winning 22 games in 1937, Hubbell has won 20 or more games for five successive years.

The defeat of the Bruins helped the Cincinnati Reds, who split a double-header with the cellarite Philadelphia Athletics to strengthen their second place position. The Reds rallied after losing the curtain-raiser, 10-3, to take the nightcap, 8-5.

Although the Bruins touched Hubbell for eleven hits, the bingles were scratchy and the veteran moundsman was given grand support resulting in the Terrymen spurting in the seventh for three runs and victory, 5-1.

Rain Intrudes

With Bob Seeds hanging up a homer with one man aboard in the third, the Phillies gained a lead and triumphed in the opener. "Chuck" Klein lashed out a homer for the winners and Phil Weintraub replied.

The Reds scored two runs in the sixth frame of the concluding game to triumph. Harry Craft clouted out a four-ply hit.

Rain halted the clash between the St. Louis Cardinals and the Brooklyn Dodgers in the fifth when each had a run and also prevented the holding of the second game of the slated double-header.

The weather was also responsible for cutting down the American League schedule, forcing the Boston Red Sox, the Cleveland Indians and the Philadelphia Athletics and the Chicago White Sox to postpone their games.

By winning both ends of their twin bill while the Detroit Tigers went down before the New York Yankees, the Washington Senators climbed into the first division.

Bases Full, Home Run

After notching up two markers in the fifth to take the lead, the Nats hung up six more runs to beat the Browns, 9-1. Al Simmons banged out a homer for the Solons.

In the second tussle, Al Simmons also starred with the bat, lashing out a circuit clout with the bases drunk in the third stanza and leading the Senators to victory, 9-2. Sam West scored a four-bagger for the losers.

Putting on a grand spurt toward the finish, the world champions trounced the Bengals, 10-3.

The Ruppert Rifles scored three runs in the seventh and four more in the ninth.

Bill Dickey, star catcher, did well with the bludgeon, connecting for two doubles and a single.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3	14	4
Philadelphia	10	13	1
(Opener)			
Batteries: Weaver, Schott and Lombardi; Passeau and V. Davis.			
Cincinnati	8	13	1
Philadelphia	5	14	3
(Night cap)			
Batteries: Brown, Vandermeer and Hershberger; Lasmaster, Mulcahy, Smith and Atwood, Davis.			
Chicago	1	11	1
New York	5	6	2
Batteries: French, Lee, Root and Hartnett; Hubbell and Danning.			
St. Louis	1	4	1
Brooklyn	1	7	1*
Batteries: McGee and Owen; Tamulis and Phelps.			
*Game called in fifth due to rain.			

American League

Washington	9	14	1
St. Louis	1	7	2
(Opener)			

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Hard-fought Tennis in Chinese Tourney

K. L. Huang, K. F. Li Pass On to Next Round

All matches in the first round of the All Chinese hardcourt tennis championship at the National Recreation Club were completed yesterday.

Ronald Ma, young medical student of St. Luke's Hospital who is strongly favoured to win premier honours because of his great showing in the last hardcourt championships at the Cercle Sportif Francais had to scratch his match in favour of T. S. Wei-Ma is leaving for Hongkong within the next few days and is unable to finish the tournament.

Most of yesterday's encounters were marked by hard fighting. The match between K. L. Huang and K. C. Tsai turned out an absorbing affair which required no less than two hours to reach a decision. Huang emerged triumphant by 5-7, 7-5 and 6-4. K. F. Li, a seeded player, eliminated Z. L. Zia also by a rally which read 3-6, 6-3, and 6-3.

In the two other contests P. K. Tong and K. C. Chow, both seeded in the tournament, were victorious. The former beat H. F. Mao 6-3 and 7-5 while the latter defeated S. K. Hu by two 6-2 sets.

The fixtures for the semi-finals are:—

Today.—5 p.m. K. F. Li v. L. Liu; T. M. Hsu v. T. C. Chang.

Tomorrow.—4 p.m. K. C. Chow v. P. K. Tong.

Thursday.—4 p.m. T. S. Wei v. K. L. Huang.

Team Standings

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	37	24	.607
Cincinnati	34	25	.576
Chicago	35	27	.565
Pittsburgh	31	24	.564
Boston	27	27	.500
St. Louis	26	31	.456
Brooklyn	25	35	.417
Philadelphia	16	38	.296

American League

Cleveland	37	21	.638
New York	34	25	.576
Boston	33	27	.550
Washington	34	31	.523
Detroit	32	31	.508
Philadelphia	26	30	.464
Chicago	20	33	.377
St. Louis	19	38	.333

—United Press.

Eight-Ball in Hankow Cricket Game

Hankow, June 26.

An eight-ball over was introduced in a match between the British Navy and Hankow, here today, when the Navy just managed to defeat the home team.—Reuter.

Russian Soccer Team Wins Final

Paris, June 26.

Soviet Russia won the final match of the International Labour Soccer Competition by defeating Norway by a lopsided score of 6 to 0 today.—Havas.

Italian Victory in Grand Prix

The Unbeaten Nearco Wins In Fine Style; Richards On Bois Roussel Third

Longchamps, June 27.

Signor Frederico Tsio's Nearco, ridden by P. Gubellini, won the Grand Prix de Paris at the Longchamps course yesterday, a distance of one mile and seven furlongs.

Eighteen ran and they finished in the following order:

Nearco	1
Canot	2
Bois Roussel	3

Nearco, the crack Italian horse by Lord Derby's Pharos, won by a length, while two lengths separated second and third.

Nearco won in great style and had no difficulty in staving off an attack by Canot, which in a fine burst of speed, had shot away from the field, which was bunched in front of the grandstands, and gained several lengths.

Fourteenth Win

By coming in first yesterday, the Italian horse scored his 14th successive win and now remains unbeaten.

Bois Roussel, the Honourable Peter Beatty's Frenchbred colt, who won the Derby at Epsom on June 1, was held back in the early stages of the race, but gained considerably on entering the straight.

Bois Roussel was ridden by Gordon Richards, who brought Mr. H. E. Morriss' Pasch into third place in the Derby.

Canot, owned by M. Robert Lazard, was ridden by W. Johnstone.—Reuter.

Million Francs to Winner

Paris, June 27.

The Grand Prix de Paris, foremost French horse racing event, was run yesterday at the Longchamps course before 150,000 spectators.

The prize money totalled 1,400,000 Francs, of which the owner of Nearco, the Italian horseman Frederica Tesio, will receive 1,150,000.

The odds on the winner were 39.10.—Trans-Ocean.

Olympic Games

Tokyo, June 27.

Preparations for the Olympic Games here in 1940 will not be affected by the national economy drive now being enforced by the Government, officials announced today.

Decision to carry on the Olympic plans already arranged was reached in a conference between Mr. Matsuzo Nagai, Secretary-General of the Olympic Organizing Committee, and Mayor Ichita Kobashi, Vice-Chairman of the committee. They announced their intention to "respect the desire of the Finance Ministry to save commodities."—Domei.

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Yachtsmen Enjoy Good Sailing

Eileen Sailed to Double Victory by John Berents; Bridget Second

Yachtsmen on Sunday were provided with excellent sailing conditions in contrast to the dismal winds which completely failed the cruising class on Saturday, with the result that they did not even get up to the starting line and cancelled their long race over a course stretching out to Grass Island and back. Sunday's fine wind gave "C" class the best racing they have had this season and even though there was a lack of beating, the good wind made the racing worth while.

John Berents sailed Eileen to a double victory, taking both the morning and afternoon races, and thereby winning the "Second Minghong Series" by earning a total of 29½ points against the 25 Bridget gained and the 24 which Lady Anne got. The good weather attracted a good turnout of eleven boats in the morning's race and ten of these went over the marks in the afternoon's contest.

In the morning's race, Eileen led all the way to win from Bridget (C. E. Howard-Vyse), with Sun Lee (K. F. Piper), third, while the course was set on a downriver reach and run back. The afternoon's contest was set with an upriver course to return to the flagship and here again Eileen ran away from the others coming in ahead of Lady Anne (Lt. P. H. M. May) while Bridget was third.

Wind Fairly Strong

The morning's wind was not as strong as that of the afternoon, but nevertheless provided sufficiently good sailing wind to enable the class to essay a longish course downriver to No. 44 buoy off Point Island. The start saw the eleven boats stretched across the river with Berents getting a leeward start in the slacker water inshore on the Shanghai side as the flood was making. Bridget and Sun Lee, more out in the middle of the river passed and repassed each other, but Eileen sailed through everyone's lee and established a lead by the mark buoy.

It had been a reach, almost close-hauled going downriver, but once they rounded the mark, there was not quite as much necessity to point in making upriver again. Sun Lee had gone about on the buoy earlier than Bridget, but the latter passed her on the latter stages of the return journey and just managed to oust her from second position, Daphne, Catharine and Shimurali all having a close struggle.

In the afternoon the wind had strengthened and the ebb was running with considerable force. The class was sent out from the flagship on an upriver course making to No. 10 buoy and here again, Berents took Eileen close in on to the Shanghai side risking the blanket of the large ships lying at anchor in midstream and gaining the benefit of the slacker water. This paid as it proved for the others, out in midstream where they had to buck the full force of the tide did not make nearly as good headway.

Return Course

The return downriver from the buoy saw Eileen retaining her leading position while Bridget which had held second place, going upriver was passed by Lady Anne, the latter ever a better boat going to windward in a strong breeze. Conditions on the return leg necessitated some very close sailing to wind, and even then several of the yachts had to put about at least once. Shimurali and Catharine had an interesting tussle on the return journey, the former only just getting in ahead of the latter. The following were the times:

1ST LEG. 10.10 A.M.

	Times
Eileen (J. Berents)	49.42
Bridget (C. E. Howard-Vyse)	51.29
Sun Lee (K. F. Piper)	51.32
Lady Anne (Lt. P. H. M. May)	52.33
Catharine (H. R. O. Edmonds)	53.17
Daphne (J. S. Kenyon)	53.21
Shimurali (J. H. Ford)	53.27
Mignonette (F. H. Skyrme)	54.27
Zuleika (J. C. Clavering)	55.34
Yankee (Dr. J. H. Riddle)	56.56
Orion	56.24

2ND LEG. 3.10 P.M.

Eileen (J. Berents)	59.54
Lady Anne (Lt. P. H. M. May)	1.00.59
Bridget (C. E. Howard-Vyse)	1.01.20
Shimurali (J. H. Ford)	1.02.42
Catharine (H. R. O. Edmonds)	1.03.18
Yankee	1.03.43
Sun Lee (K. F. Piper)	1.04.39
Mignonette (F. H. Skyrme)	1.05.14
Daphne (J. S. Kenyon)	1.06.25
Zuleika (J. C. Clavering)	1.06.31

Total Points: Eileen 25½, Bridget 25, Lady Anne 24, Sun Lee and Catharine 20, Shimurali 19, Daphne 15, Mignonette and Yankee 14, Zuleike 11, Orion 4.

San Francisco Seals Split Twin Bill

Pacific Coast Baseball Standings Given

San Francisco, June 26.

Sacramento continued to lead the parade in the race for the Pacific Coast baseball league pennant by taking both ends of a double-header from the lowly Oakland Oaks and stretching the lead against the San Francisco Seals who split their twin bill with the Los Angeles Angels.

The Portland Beavers climbed into fifth place by beating the Hollywood Missions, overtaking the Seattle Rainiers who divided a twin programme with the San Diego Padres.

Openers

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	4	12	0
Los Angeles	3	10	1
Hollywood	3	8	1
Portland	4	12	0
San Diego	3	6	1
Seattle	0	2	2
Sacramento	5	8	1
Oakland	2	9	2

Nightcaps

San Francisco	8	10	0
Los Angeles	7	7	0
Hollywood	4	4	2
Portland	6	6	0
San Diego	0	5	0
Seattle	2	8	0
Sacramento	3	6	1
Oakland	1	4	0

Team Standings

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sacramento	54	33	.621
San Francisco	49	28	.597
Los Angeles	47	41	.534
San Diego	44	42	.512
Portland	39	44	.470
Seattle	37	45	.439
Hollywood	41	47	.466
Oakland	30	60	.333

—United Press

France to Check Arms Traffic to China

Tokyo, June 27.

A spokesman of the Foreign Office today told foreign correspondents he "understood" that the French Foreign Minister, M. George Bonnet, promised Mr. Yotaro Sugimura, the Japanese Ambassador, to take "necessary steps to discontinue supplies of arms and ammunition to China through Indo-China.

The spokesman, questioned regarding conversations between M. Bonnet and Mr. Sugimura, replied that the conversations were satisfactory but the Japanese people "must wait and see what results actually come out of them."

He did not believe, the spokesman stated, that the question of Hainan Island was discussed. He said he understood that M. Bonnet told Mr. Sugimura that shipments of arms to China as a result of execution of old contracts could not be stopped.—Domei.

Yangtze Boom Scene Of Great Activity

(Continued from page 5)

by Chinese planes near Anking were vigorously repulsed by Japanese naval aircraft.

Severely counter-attacked by the Japanese, the Chinese aeroplanes failed to inflict any material losses on the Japanese, the communiqué stated.

Chinese reports alleged that a number of Japanese warships were set on fire and several Japanese seaplanes were damaged by Chinese bombers near Anking on Sunday.

"With their morale heightened by the favourable weather after several weeks of rain," the communiqué said, "Japanese Naval aircraft carried out vigorous bombing attacks on Sunday."

Besides the spectacular air attack in Nanchang, capital of Kiangsi province, raiding Japanese naval planes demolished Chinese positions and bombed troop concentrations on both sides of the Yangtze, the communiqué continued.

Attacks in South China

Continuing their attacks in South China, the naval aircraft scored several hits at the iron bridge of the Canton-Kowloon Railway at Shek-lung. The bridge was badly damaged, the statement claimed.

Flying along the same railway, the Japanese air raiders severed the tracks near Changmoktow, Tangtow and Shahsu, while at Meihsien five buildings of the local Chinese military camp were set on fire, the communiqué further claimed.

A separate naval air squadron attacked the Chaochow railway station in eastern Kwangtung, north of Swatow, and bombed the buildings in the station compound. The railroad near the station was destroyed at several places.

The Chinese coastal batteries at Yulinkan on the southern coast of Hainan Island also were severely bombed and damaged by the Japanese raiders Sunday, the communiqué concluded.—Domei.

Anking Bombed

Several squadrons of Chinese bombing planes, working in close co-operation with the Chinese troops on the Yangtze front, swooped down over the aerodrome at Anking, dropping bombs on twelve Japanese bombers which had just landed, and completely wrecked all twelve Japanese planes, Chinese reports received here claim. Three Japanese pursuit planes which made desperate attempts to break the Chinese formation, were themselves shot down, the Chinese reports assert.

Yesterday, the first encounter occurred between Japanese aeroplanes and Chinese anti-aircraft guns at Matung forts, but after one hour the Japanese planes retired, it is stated.

The situation on both banks of the Yangtze is unaltered, the Chinese report continues, as the Chinese troops are offering determined resistance to the increasing Japanese activity, and are taking advantage of the hilly country on the south bank and of the chain of lakes on the north bank.

Apparently the Japanese are planning to attack Matung forts with two divisions as the previous force proved inadequate, judging from Chinese reports.—Trans-Ocean.

Jews Demonstrate in Warsaw

Pleas Sent to King George And Queen to Intercede

Warsaw, June 26.

Several thousand Warsaw Jews took part today in a large demonstration organized in the Jewish district as a protest against the confirmation of the death sentence imposed upon a Jew of Polish extraction by a military court in Jerusalem.

The accused, Szloma Ben Joseff, was charged with having carried out a criminal attempt against an Arab bus.

Leaders of Zionist organisations spoke during the manifestation, demanding that the sentenced man be pardoned.

This evening, several young Jews broke window panes at the British Consulate.

The Zionist General Committee of Poland sent a telegram to the King of England on the subject while the Jewish Women's Association sent a similar cable to the Queen.

"We wish to express our deep sympathy for your bereavement in the death of your mother, the latter telegram read. "We Jewish mothers are also in mourning following the death sentence imposed upon Szloma Ben Joseff. We beg Your Majesty, in memory of your mother, to intervene in his favour with the military court."

Another cable in appeal was addressed to the Archbishop of Canterbury.—Havas.

The board of directors of the Child Welfare Society in Shanghai, at a meeting held recently, elected Messrs. Chen Hao-ching and Wang Ting-hui as chairman and vice-chairman, says a message to the "Morning Leader."

France to Support League Ideals

Nation Must Also Arm In Self-Defence, Says M. Chautemps

Blois, June 26.

France is still loyal to the principles of the League of Nations including that of collective security, the French Vice-Premier M. Camille Chautemps, declared today in a speech made at the banquet given at the closing of the Loir-et-Cher Radical-Socialist Departmental Federation, last night. France must nevertheless ensure her own defence by military reinforcement and by diplomatic action owing to the "painful back-stepping of international institutions."

Outlining France's diplomatic programme, M. Chautemps stressed that it consisted of loyalty to her alliances, particularly close and constant co-operation with Great Britain, the defence of her treaties, even with Soviet Russia, and a constant effort to group all sincerely peace-loving people around the great democracies.

The Vice-Premier then turned to matters of domestic policy.

Senate Reform Opposed

He opposed the Senate reform demanded by the Socialists, but admitted the possibility of increasing the number of senatorial electors, by adding, for instance, all the Municipal Councillors to the list of voters.

"However, there is some contradiction in demanding the broadening of the senatorial election system—that is, to increase the authority of the assembly in connection with the principle of universal suffrage—and to demand at the same time a reduction in the Senate's prerogatives thus strengthened," he said.

M. Chautemps recalled that the Senate had on different occasions checked both the rightists and the extreme leftists, but stressed that it had voted for the social laws and had constantly upheld certain governments "who had loyally supported the Popular Front."

He stressed that arbitrage by the Government should suffice to smooth down all difficulties between the two Assemblies.

Referring to the right for the President of the Republic to dissolve the Chamber of Deputies, M. Chautemps stressed that if such a critical move were to be made "the only real arbitrage would be that of universal suffrage itself, before which the Senate would undoubtedly bow down."—Havas.

Portuguese Sentenced For Fraud

Associate of Joseph Ionin Sent to Prison

For being involved with Joseph Ionin in obtaining money from Chinese by fraudulent means, Ceasar Remedios, 21-year old Portuguese, was sentenced to eight months' imprisonment and a fine of $300 by Dr. A. J. Alves, Portuguese Consular Judge, on Saturday evening.

The accused, brother of Joe, and Pat Remedios, who were found guilty a few years ago in the trunk murder case, will have to serve only five months, having spent three months in police custody.

The accused, together with Ionin and Oscar Castro, a Spaniard, was alleged to have opened the Overseas Trading Co., 128 Museum Road, to "sell smuggled sugar." The firm was said to have received money amounting to over $9,000 and never delivered the sugar cargo.

Dr. T. Rangel, who appeared for the accused, said the latter had been used as a tool. The accused also denied having received any money. Mr. A. de Sacramento Monteiro, who prosecuted, said the accused had been sentenced for larceny whilst at the age of 19. The firm was not opened to do proper business, he said.

OBITUARIES

Princess Karageorgevitch

Paris, June 27.

The death of Princess Alexis Karageorgevitch was reported from Cannes this morning. The Princess was the aunt of King Alexander I of Yugoslavia who was assassinated in Marseilles in 1934.—Trans-Ocean.

Mme. Le Breton

London, June 27.

The death occurred suddenly in London yesterday of the wife of Dr. Thomas Le Breton, the Argentine Ambassador-elect to the Court of St. James.—Reuter.

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Italy Can Mobilize 12,000,000 Men

Rome, June 26.

Sr. Alberto Pariani, Under Secretary of War, claimed today in the magazine "Rassegna Italiana" that Italy would be able to mobilize 12,000,000 men on a moment's notice in the event of war. He said that 9,800,000 of this number would come from the Italian peninsula alone while the remainder would be mobilized in the colonies.—United Press.

Hungary to Combat Nazi Inroads

Premier Declares Will To End Encroachments; Anti-Jewish Measures

Budapest, June 26.

Hungary's will to fight National-Socialist activities in the country were stressed today by the Premier Dr. Bela Imredy, speaking before 40,000 people at Debrecen.

The Premier then made an outline of the state's financial and economic situation.

"We have consolidated the country's finances and economics," he said. "We have ensured the financial basis of the Five-Year Plan by a rightist National Christian policy. It would have been easier to carry out this heritage if false prophets had not intervened in the meantime.

"The Hungarian people failed to understand the programme for they used a language translated from a foreign one and the meaning remained confused," the Premier added. "However, they provoked intervention with modern methods. But this is all that they did. The atmosphere cleared up lately and it will be completely clear when all those who have something to say do so openly and assume responsibility for their statements."

Balance Sheet Outlined

Dr. Imredy then outlined the temporary balance sheet of the Five-Year Plan.

"We have submitted orders amounting to 100,000,000 pengoes to large and small industry for the army. Furthermore, we have ordered the construction of 150 kilometres of national roads," he added. "Economic circles in a few days subscribed to the first section of the Domestic Loan, amounting to 125,000,000 pengoes. The total loan will reach a sum of 400,000,000 pengoes.

"The decrees regarding the laws on Jews were promulgated in one month instead of three as had been expected," he concluded. "We shall continue our task during the coming summer.

He announced the forthcoming examination of the bills regarding salaries and fiscal reforms.

Fight Against Nazism

Political circles here believe that the Catholics will support the Premier in his fight against Nazism.

M. Etienne Antol, the Under-Secretary of Justice, in a statement made for the benefit of the party of German journalists visiting Hungary, outlined Hungary's attitude on the German question.

He expressed his conviction that the traditional friendship with Germany would ensure Hungary's rights, independence, and equitable interests.

He stressed that Hungary could not fight efficiently against Bolshevism if she were unable to maintain her domestic liberty and foreign independence.—Havas.

THE Acting Chairman of the National Relief Commission, Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, has decided to spend $180,000 for the relief of war refugees in Shansi, says a message to the "Standard."

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H.M. Envoy Visits Gaimusho Chief

Long Conversation Has Sequel in Rumours of Rapprochement Bid

Tokyo, June 27.

In the first preliminary move towards possible Anglo-Japanese discussions for a readjustment of the relations between the two empires, Sir Robert Leslie Craigie, British Ambassador to Japan, today conferred for 1½ hours with Gen. Kazushige Ugaki, Foreign Minister, at the latter's offices at Kasumigaseki.

While the nature of their discussions was not officially divulged, usually well-informed circles tonight professed to have the knowledge that a "free and frank" exchange of views on outstanding questions between Japan and Great Britain had taken place.

These circles, however, stressed the preparatory nature of the conversations, which, they claimed would not enter a constructive stage until the standpoints of both Governments on various problems had been fully presented.

Better Relations Wanted

Observers, however, recalled the statement made on June 17 by Gen. Ugaki with reference to Anglo-Japanese relations. He said:

"We have had special relations with Great Britain of traditional friendship. I will do my best to restore them and make them even closen than in the past."

Commentators here, at that time, tended to regard this declaration as an open bid to the Chamberlain Government to apply its realistic policy principles to the Far Eastern situation.—Domei.

Armed Robbers Shoot Two Chinese

Firing three shots after an alarm had been raised by the occupants, armed robbers, who entered a house situated on Brenan Piece at 8.30 p.m. yesterday, wounded two Chinese who were removed to St. Luke's Hospital, one suffering from wounds in the thigh.

Four robbers entered the house, but only two of them were armed. The injuries sustained by the occupants are not considered serious.

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Crude Oil Discovered In Scotland

London, June 27.

Several barrels of crude oil were produced today in an experimental well at Dalkeith, Scotland.

This is the first discovery of oil in Great Britain since drilling invitations were extended to oil companies last year. It is believed that the discovery will be of great national importance.—Reuter.

Peiping University To Resume

"Cultural Renovation" With Japanese Heading Faculty in September

Tokyo, June 27.

Cleared of anti-Japanese sentiments in a "cultural renovation," the Peiping University will open its doors once more in September after being closed for more than a year since guns first began to boom to begin the hostilities in China.

When the halls of the famous shool echo again with the tread of students hastening to their founts of learning, leading Japanese professors will head the medical and agricultural staffs.

Dr. Hiroshi Nasu, professor in the Agricultural Department of Tokyo Imperial University, will occupy the chair of dean of the Agricultural Department of the Peking school.

Dr. Sen Nagai, dean of the Medical Department of Taihoku Imperial University, will head the Medical Department of Peiping University. Dr. Nasu left here for Peiping yesterday to prepare for the opening of classes.

Dr. Nagai will leave for Peiping next month after a conference with officials of the Ministry of Education on his return from Formosa. Both professors will continue to hold their present posts in Japanese schools.—Domei.

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£	8 1/8	8 7/8
U.S. G $	18 1/16	18 1/16
Yen	—	—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

	Cash		SELLING	June	BUYING
£	T.T.	8 1/8	4 m/s. l.c.	9	
G.$	T.T.	18 1/16	4 m/s. l.c.	18 5/8	
Fcs.	T.T.	653	4 m/s.	680	
Rs.	T.T.	49 1/2	7 d/s.	50 5/8	

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London pence per std. oz.	19	18 11/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	—	—
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London silver was unchanged both ready and forward, being 19.- for ready and 18 13/16 forward. New York was unquoted and Bombay was 1 anna down at 49.15.

It was reported market quiet, featureless.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8 1/16 sterling and 18 3/8 U.S.$.

The Inter-bank market was quietly steady with maximum fluctuations of 1/16th in sterling and 1/8th in U.S.$. Business was done shortly after the opening at 8 1/16 sterling for June, which was the peak rate for the day. At the close there were sellers:—

8 7/8 sterling 18 3/8 U.S.$ Cash/June
8 5/8 " 17 13/16 " July

Paris Bourse Review

Paris, June 26.

The past week on the Paris Bourse was on the whole satisfactory with an upward trend prevailing.

Bullish factors were the calm domestic situation, the adjournment or Parliament and the hopes for an improvement in the Spanish situation.

During the first two sessions, the market continued its upward trend, eased on Thursday owing to professional liquidation, and resumed its rise on Friday.

The firm tone prevailing in Wall Street also helped the Bourse. On the New York exchange trading, which amounted to a few hundred thousand shares a day for the past weeks, reached over 2,000,000 last Thursday and Friday, with prices rising swiftly.

Dow Jones Averages for Industrials spurted from 127 to 135 while for Rails they jumped from 16 to over 20.

At the same time, London Copper prices rose from £33 to over £37, and tin prices from 178 to 188.

Paris followed the bullish trend but late in the week, with Internationals starting their spurt on the last day only.

Amsterdam prices, always sensitive to Wall Street trends, were extremely favourable with petroleum issues leading the way. Royal Dutch, both a Dutch and a petroleum issue, gained over 250 francs.

Rubbers also rose sharply, while Rentes profited by the general healthy tone with gains ranging from Frs. 0.70 to Frs. 1.70.

Rumours of a loan held them down at first, but they recovered sharply when the reports were denied.

French stocks were cautious, showing average gains of only 2 per cent. with the exception of electricity issues which were strong and gold mines which, on the contrary, were exceptionally weak, being the only ones to lose ground.

Financial circles believe that the Bourse will continue to show an upward trend during the next few sessions at least.—Havas.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	June 25	June 27
Antamok	.42	.42
Atok	.27*	.27
Benquet Conso.	9.90	10.00
Consolidated Mines	.003	.003
Demonstration	.27	.28
Mine Operations	.10	.10
San Mauricio	.44	.45
United Paracale	.29	.30

*—Ex dividend.
Turnover: 173,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 77.19.
—Reuter.

Rubber Output for May

	lb.
Permata Rubber Estate Ltd.	6.096

Silver Quotations

London, June 27.

A slight improvement was recorded for silver today, with both spot and forward advancing 1/16d. from Saturday's levels.

	June 25	June 27
London spot	19d.	19 1/16d.
" forward	18 13/16d.	18 7/8d.
London/New York:		
One pound	U.S.$4.96 3/8	$4.95 7/8
One U.S. dollar	48.375d.	48.454d.
Gold	140/10d.	140/10d.

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Official Averages

	1933 High	1933 Low	Today's Aver.	Change
Rubbers	132.96	95.55	132.66	+2.52
General	130.95	103.44	123.10	+0.10

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

	CASH
6,000 Exploration	$ 2.40
100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 14.60
1,000 Chemor	$ 1.35
3,000 Exploration	$ 2.45
500 Anglo Java	$ 14.75
3,000 Exploration	$ 2.50

UNOFFICIAL

200 Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 37.75
26 S'hai Power (Pref)	$115.50
2,000 Exploration	$ 2.50
250 Kaiping	$ 20.00
100 Sungei Duri	$ 30.00

Afternoon Session

OFFICIAL

1,000 Shanghai Loan	$ 3.25
1,000 Kelantan	$ 0.40
100 Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 37.50
400 Sungei Duri	$ 30.00
300 Anglo Java	$ 14.75
2,000 Cheng	$ 0.52
4,000 Cheng	$ 0.52 1/2
5,000 Exploration	$ 2.50
1,000 Repah	$ 0.85
1,000 Seremban	$ 1.80
2,000 Repan	$ 0.86

UNOFFICIAL

100 Sungei Duri	$ 30.00
3,000 Tebong	$ 0.93
100 Ziangbe	$ 13.50

	Shares
Morning Session	16,176
Afternoon Session	21,000
Total	37,176

Yangtsze Finance Co. Annual Meeting

79,941 Shares Were Represented

The Eighth Annual General Meeting of shareholders of the Yangtsze Finance Co. Ltd. was held yesterday in the board room of Messrs. E. D. Sassoon & Co. Ltd., Sassoon House, in the presence of Messrs. G. E. Marden (Chairman), M. Speelman, Li Ming, C. J. Meager, W. R. McBain, P. W. Massey, H. E. Arnhold (directors) and shareholders representing in all 79,941 shares.

The chairman said: "Gentlemen, the report and accounts having been circulated, with your permission I will take them as read. You will have noticed from the report, that there is to be no chairman's speech. Before proposing the adoption of the report and accounts I will be pleased to answer any question any shareholder may wish to make." There being no questions asked, the following resolutions were put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

That the directors' report and audited statement of accounts for the year ended March 31, 1938, as presented, be adopted—proposed by Mr. G. E. Marden and seconded by Mr. P. W. Massey.

That the amount standing to the credit of profit and loss account be dealt with as recommended by the directors in their report—proposed by Mr. G. E. Marden and seconded by Mr. W. R. McBain.

That the appointment of Mr. Pei Tsu-yee, by the Board, be confirmed—proposed by Mr. L. Ovadia and seconded by Mr. H. E. Arnhold.

That Messrs. H. E. Arnhold, K. P. Chen and M. Speelman be re-elected directors of the company—proposed by Mr. C. J. Meager and seconded by Mr. Li Ming.

That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews be re-elected auditors to the company for the ensuing year at a remuneration of $1,400—proposed by Mr. M. Speelman and seconded by Mr. L. Ovadia.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, June 26.

During the past week prices on the Berlin share market showed on the average a decline from one to two percent. For the most part this drop can be explained as having a seasonal character in connection with the beginning of the vacation period. In part it was due to the exclusion by government decree of Jews from German stock exchanges and trading centres and the resultant liquidation of a large number of Jewish business interests. At the outset of the week the market showed little inclination to absorb this offered supply but later banks proceeded on a restricted purchase on the basis of declining prices. This factor alone however failed to bring about a revival of business mainly in view of the preparations for financing the mid-year currency demands as well as the prevailing interest of the German industry in direct investments in connection with big Four Year Plan projects. Nevertheless there were ample signs of the desire of the general public to seek new fields of investment. The further reduction in the preferred stock of the German Railways is noteworthy and is generally attributed to the sale of securities in connection with the liquidation of Jewish holdings.

Call money ranged between 2 3/4 and 3 per cent.

The following are the quotations of some leading German stocks on June 20 and 25 respectively:

General Electrics A.E.G.	119.00	118.125
Continental Caoutchoue	——	263.75
Deutsche Bank & Disconto Gas	120.25	120.25
Deutsch-Asiatische Bank	567.00	550.00
German Dye Trust	160.00	155.875
Hamburg America Line	76.00	——
Harpener Mining	168.50	——
Mannesmann Pipes	112.75	112.00
North German Lloyd	78.50	77.00
Reichsbank	194.00	193.25
Rhenish-Westphalian Elec.	119.625	120.75
Siemens & Halske	204.50	200.60
United Steel Works	107.50	106.375
Young Loan	103.75	102.125

—Trans-Ocean.

Reorganization Loan, 1913

London, June 24.

Chinese 5 per cent. Reorganization Loan, 1913: Coupons, together with drawn bonds due for redemption on July 1., will be paid on and after that date at the offices of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Payments relating to that portion of the loan issued in Russia are confined to bonds of the Green Issue. —Reuter.

Japanese Govt. Bonds

Osaka, June 27.

Kogo 5% Y.103.38
—Reuter

International Assurance Co.

Report At Yesterday's Annual General Meeting Shows Small Profit Due to Hostilities

THE eighth annual general meeting of the International Assurance Co., Ltd. was held at the Head Office 17 The Bund, Shanghai, yesterday. Mr. F. R. Smith presided over a gathering representing in all 133,573 shares and was supported by Messrs. H. E. Arnhold, Sir R. Calder-Marshall, E. Sigaut, C. V. Starr, Singloh Hsu and E. I. Owen (Secretary).

The Chairman said:

The accounts before you reflect the effect of the Sino-Japanese hostilities which commenced in July last year and are still in progress. Unfortunately, there is every appearance of the disturbance being rather prolonged and we cannot expect a return of normal business in our China field for some time to come. The effect of the China hostilities is somewhat offset by the increases in our business abroad.

Fire Account

The gross premiums written amounted to $1,638,089.96, of which $1,273,971.14 was reinsured, leaving the Company's retention $364,118.82. Losses incurred, less recovered from reinsurers, totalled $215,629.96. Net premiums earned, after putting up full reserves for 1937 and absorbing those of the previous year, amounted to $332,123.20. The insurance fund has been increased from $113,318.21 at the end of 1936 to $145,647.53 at the end of 1937. Management expenses were reduced, through various economies effected during the year. The net profit, $6,440.97, was carried to the profit and loss account.

War Risk Account

This business is always written in conjunction with fire and has previously been included in the fire account; but, due to its comparative importance in 1937, we have shown it separately in the accounts before you. During the last four months of 1936, prior to any action of the fire officers committee, London, to exclude war risk land cover entirely, we accepted war risk in various parts of China at the low rates then ruling.

The business was accepted on an annual basis and consisted mostly of renewal of business that had been on our books for some years. Had the hostilities commenced a few months later, this business would have run off late in 1937 and the losses sustained by ourselves and our reinsurers would have been greatly reduced. The small amount of business accepted in 1937 was inward reinsurance, which was retroceded. The reserve for claims outstanding, $49,746.87, has been carried to the profit and loss account, and, as war risk is no longer accepted, this item will not recur in future accounts.

Marine Account

Premiums written amounted to $1,098,873.93 of which we reinsured $940,828.25, retaining $158,045.68 for our own account. Net losses incurred amounted to $140,147.02. The experience on cargo business was affected by the Hongkong typhoon in September; the bombing of the ss. Tatung by Japanese planes at Wuhu in December, and the strike on the Pacific Coast of America in September. Hull business ran satisfactorily. You will note that we made a profit from reinsurance commissions in excess of commissions paid out. Management expenses have again been reduced. Our marine fund increased from $32,523.57 at the end of 1936 to $38,669.68 on December 31 1937. A small profit of $922,53 was carried to the profit and loss account.

Accident Account

The accident account includes motorcar, personal accident, fidelity and miscellaneous casualty business. The decrease in premium income on this account was due to the elimination of undesirable motorcar business. The manager of our personal accident department visited Europe and America during the year in the interests of the company. This increased the management expense over that for last year.

Premiums written amounted to $721,426.41, of which $382,205.29 was reinsured, leaving $339,221.12 as the company's retention. Net losses amounted to $212,394.27. A profit of $6,297.86 was carried to the profit and loss account.

Life Account

Our Life figures continue to show a steady, healthy increase. Total assurance in force at December 31, 1937, amounted to $16,500,311.78 as compared with $14,089,903.25 in force at the end of 1936. An amount of $1,809,629.20 was ceded to other companies, leaving a net figure of $14,690,682.58. The life assurance fund increased from $443,576.28 to $709,084.38. Mortality was 79.22 per cent. of the expected provided for in the company's rates. The net gain of business in force during the year amounted to $2,672,840.08, this increase of 19 per cent. over the 1936 figures being attained on an increased management expense of approximately half of one per cent.

More than 65 per cent. of our 1937 life assurance business came from outside China and approximately 60 per cent. of our total life business in force today is contained in policies held by assureds comparatively unaffected by our troubles. The board's foresight in approving of development abroad has greatly lessened the effect of the present Sino-Japanese hostilities, not only in respect of life business, as the proportionate volume of insurance originating abroad is now even larger for other lines than for life. Further expansion abroad is in progress.

Balance Sheet

The main items for comment in the balance sheet figures are the increase of the cash in banks, decrease of loan against securities and decrease of mortgage loans. Our Shanghai investments have further depreciated and some of the quotations must be taken at nominal values.

Reserve for interest due but not yet collected is increased by the overdue China Realty debenture interest which has been reserved for in full. As stated in the balance sheet, the deposits with the registrars of companies at Shanghai and Singapore have been released by our deposit of approved Sterling securities with the Supreme Court, London, amounting to £20,000.

Investments

A comparison of the percentage diversification of our investments shows as follows:—

	1937 per cent.
Cash on Hand and in banks	13.93
Bonds, debentures and preferred shares	34.49
Land and buildings	4.79
First mortgage loans	22.05
Loans against securities	2.71
Ordinary shares	20.03
	100.00

Turning to the profit and loss account, our general expenses were increased by the cost of sending our producers and inspectors to other fields of activity shortly after hostilities commenced. Dividends and rents are slightly less. Investment department expenses increased, principally due to land tax on properties.

The amount of net profit for the year is $60,889.52, which, added to the amount carried forward from last year, $21,914.81, gives a total of $82,804.33. Your directors recommend that this be dealt with as follows:—

Write off furniture and fixtures	$ 8,085.29
Carry forward (subject to payment of general managers' commission)	$74,719.04
	$82,804.33

Resolutions

The following resolutions were then passed:

That the directors' report and auditors' statement of accounts as presented for the year ended December 31, 1937, be and they are hereby received, approved and adopted:—proposed by Mr. F. R. Smith and seconded by Sir R. Calder-Marshall.

That the following recommendations as to the appropriation of the balance at credit of profit and loss account as presented be accepted:—

Write off furniture and fixtures	$ 8,085.29
Carry forward (subject to payment of general managers' Commission)	$74,719.04
	$82,804.33

Proposed by Mr. F. R. Smith and seconded by Mr. C. V. Starr.

That the appointment of Mr. E. Sigaut be confirmed and that Mr. Singloh Hsu and Mr. H. E. Arnhold be and they are hereby re-elected directors of the company—proposed by Mr. S. Lord and seconded by Mr. A. M. J. Wolynsky.

That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews be and they are hereby re-elected auditors of the company at the same remuneration as last year—proposed by Mr. H. E. Arnhold and seconded by Mr. E. Sigaut.

Development Co. Plans

North and Central China Concerns Export to Start Business in November

Tokyo, June 26.

Plans for the organization of the North and Central China Development Companies are expected to be completed tomorrow when the committee in charge holds its final plenary session. The new concerns are expected to be ready to start business on Nov. 1, the day following an inaugural general meeting of stockholders.

Mr. Sonyu Ohtani, former Minister of Overseas Affairs, has been appointed President of the North China Development Company, which is capitalized at Y350,000,000. Mr. Kenjo Kodama, former Governor of the Central China firm, capitalized at Y100,000,000.

Half of the capital stock will be offered for public subscription, this amounting to 4,000,000 shares, most of which has been taken by the organizers of the concerns. About 10 per cent, or 450,000 shares, will be placed on the open market, while the other half will be subscribed by the Government, which will contribute Y33,000,000 in kind and Y24,000,000 in cash to the capital of the North China Development Company as a first instalment.

The Government will subscribe Y7,000,000 in kind and Y5,000,000 in cash to the capitalization of the Central China firm as a first instalment

According to present expectations, the North China Development Company will have revenue of Y403,000, expenditures of Y1,671,000 and a deficit of Y1,267,000 during the first year. The deficit is expected to disappear in the second year. Revenue in the fifth year is expected to amount to Y48,830,000, while expenditures of Y30,095,000 and a profit of Y18,735,000 is anticipated by that time.

In its first year the Central China concern is expected to have revenue amounting to Y482,000, expenditures of Y302,000 and a profit of Y180,000. In the fifth year the company is expected to show a profit of Y2,733,000, with revenues of Y5,068,000 and expenditures totalling Y2,335,000.

Subsidiary companies covering eight industries, including railway and harbour construction, automobiles, communications, iron, coal and coal liquefaction, electricity and salt concerns, will be organized immediately after the formation of the semi-official parent firms.

Members of a banking syndicate and the Bank of Taiwan and Kobe Bank will subscribe some of the capital.

Mr. Itsuki Saito and Mr. Shinji Sogo, respectively former Superintendent of the Metropolitan Police Board and President of the Hsing Chung Kungssu, Japanese holding company in North China, were named as promising candidates for Vice-Presidents of the North China Development Company.—Domei.

Belgian Statesman on Visit to Berlin

Berlin, June 26.

M. Henri Heymans, the Belgian Minister of Agriculture and Economics, arrived here today. He will visit Dr. Walter Funk, the German Economics Minister, and Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, the Foreign Minister. M. Heymans will visit several industrial enterprises here during his stay.—Havas.

Polish Chief of Staff Visits Baltic States

Warsaw, June 26.

General W. Stachiewicz, Polish Chief of Staff, left this afternoon for Riga, Tallinn, and Helsinki. He is returning the visit paid to Poland last year by the Chiefs of Staff of these respective countries. General Stachiewicz will be away for about fifteen days, during which time he will study the question of military and political collaboration with the Baltic States.—Havas.

Berlin-Cairo Flight to Test New Plane

German Passenger Craft Tries One Day Journey

Berlin, June 27.

The four-engined passenger plane Saarland of the FW 200 Condor type constructed by the Focke-Wulf-Flugzeug Company started at 00.05 o'clock this morning from Tempelhof aerodrome here for a flight to Cairo and back within 24 hours. The plane is expected to return here late tonight. The purpose of this flight is not to establish a new record but to test the efficiency of the machine which after a successful flight will be put into regular service of the German Lufthansa.

The Saarland has a crew of four and accommodation for 26 passengers. It has a maximum speed of 430 km.p.h. and a cruising speed of 390 kilometres with 26 passengers. Equipped with the latest technical devices, the machine offers the greatest comfort to passengers, such as electric kitchen, smoking-room, sound-proof walls, fresh air apparatus and steam heating.

The Saarland makes the present test flight with a full complement of passengers and crew.—Trans-Ocean.

Remarkable Philatelic Exhibition in Prague

Mr. J. A. Agnew of China Among Noted Exhibitors

Prague, June 27.

The International Philatelic Exhibition which opened here yesterday is the most extensive that the world has ever seen, post office departments of 20 nations as well as numerous private collectors having sent their exhibits.

Particularly prominent are the exhibits from England and America which are valued at more than £1,000,000 The world's rarest and most valuable envelope containing two Mauritius stamps will also be on display. Their owner recently refused an offer of £30,000 for them.

The famous collectors who are showing their stamps include Mr. J. A. Agnew of China, Mr. W. F. Coaker of The Argentine and Dr. William Byam of Egypt. The German Reichspost has sent a series of German stamps and a special exhibit of Austrian welfare stamps.

The Czechoslovakian post office department has issued a special series of stamps in honour of the occasion.—Trans-Ocean.

Calm Restored in Sanjak

Antioch, June 27.

Calm has been restored in the Sanjak of Alexandretta and Arab shop owners are now re-openning their shops. Rumours that the Turkish troops would arrive today have brought a great number of Turkish peasants from the surrounding country to the city where they hope to witness the colourful spectacle.—Trans-Ocean.

Treaty of Saad-Abad

Teheran, June 26.

Documents ratifying the Treaty of Saad-Abad were submitted here today by Turkey, Iraq, and Arghanistan. The documents were brought to the Foreign Office here by Mehmed Enis Akaygen, the Turkish Ambassador; Khalid Suleyman, the Minister of Irak, and the Charge d'Affaires for Afghanistan.—Havas.

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Int. Investment Trust Co. of China Meeting

The Eighth Annual General Meeting of the International Investment Trust Company of China was held yesterday in the board room of Messrs. E. D. Sassoon & Co. Ltd., Sassoon House, in the presence of Messrs. G. E. Marden (Chairman), H. E. Arnhold, Li Ming, P. W. Massey, W. R. McBain, C. J. Meager and M. Speelman (directors) and shareholders representing in all 103,600 shares.

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That the amount standing to the debit of profit and loss account be dealt with as recommended by the directors in their report—proposed by Mr. G. E. Marden and seconded by Mr. Li Ming.

That Messrs. K. P. Chen, M. Speelman and F. R. Davey be re-elected directors of the company—proposed by Mr. H. E. Arnhold and seconded by Mr. C. J. Meager.

That Messrs. Thomson & Co. be re-elected Auditors to the Company for the ensuing year at a remuneration of $1,400—proposed by Mr. L. Ovadia and seconded by Mr. F. W. Rowland.

Republican Leader Hits Back at President

Mr. Roosevelt "Distorted" Opposition Stand

Washington, June 26.

Mr. John Daniel Miller Hamilton, General Counsel for the Republican National Committee, today challenged President Roosevelt's description of liberals and conservatives in his recent "Fireside Chat."

He accused the President of having distorted the character of the New Deal and the opposition.

The Republicans, he said, were not opposed to social security and stock market regulations and similar reforms but instead, they have fought to improve the undertakings and make them more workable.

He said that since President Roosevelt intended to intervene in the primary elections, the expenses for the President's forthcoming transcontinental tour should come from the Democratic National Committee instead of the United States Treasury. —United Press.

Japan's Insurance Co.'s Favour Soldiers

Tokyo, June 27.

One of the more pleasant aspects of warfare from the soldiers' viewpoint came to light today with an announcement by insurance companies that the men at China fronts need not worry about paying their premiums for six more months.

Six-month grace periods were granted to those between July 1 and September 30.—Domei.

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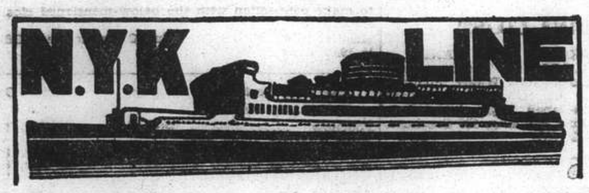

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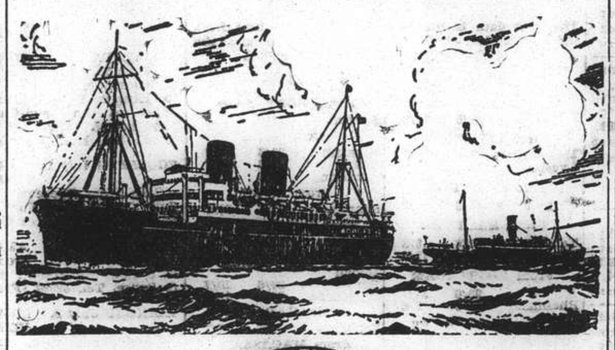

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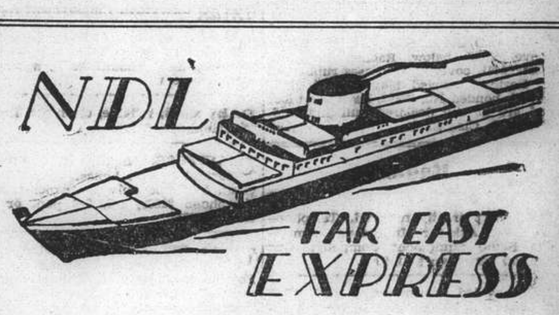

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WANTED four-door saloon, 1934 Dodge Plymouth or Chevrolet. Must be in good condition and reasonable price. Box 3798, NCDN. -8168

$300 Morris Cowley, 1924 model, four-seat sedan, perfect running order. Address Box 3787, NCDN. -8176

WANTED big twin Harley-Davidson motor-cycle. State year, price. A. J. Lee, China Soap Co., Ltd., 18 The Bund. -8162

WANTED small and/or economical car immediately. Any good make, sound condition. Maximum $600. Box 3784, NCDN. 15541

WE offer cash for used cars and trucks. Apply Jenny's Motors, 177 Amiral Courbet, Telephone 73165. -7796

1929 Ford coupe. New duco, upholstery, and hood. Engine in excellent condition. $650. Telephone 80401. -8103

FOR SALE, Chrysler-Plymouth (1934) De Luxe Model Sedan, very good condition—delivery by July 24, U.S.$350. Address Barrett, Post Office Box 787. 15522

Office Cars

REQUIRED lift, Winling to Hankow Road. Address Box 3783, NCDN. -8170

LADY requires lift office car, from vicinity Route Ferguson/Joffre to Yuen Ming Yuen Road, five days week, at 7.45 a.m. and return about 1.15 p.m. Please address Box 3793, NCDN. 15550

Dancing

PROFESSOR Waldemar, famous teacher in ballroom, ballet, tap dances, gives private-class lessons. 1272 Avenue Joffre. -7349

Beauty Culture, etc.

Advertisements under this heading are carefully scrutinized before acceptance, and though no guarantee can be given readers may be reasonably assured of their bona fides.

1205 Bubbling Well Road, Apartment 15. Massage. -8153

LADY gives general massage, manicure, 10-7 p.m. 205 Peking Road. Apartment 30, Second Floor. 15063

MISS Dardari, Australian, qualified reducing body massage, natural way to health, also advises diet menu to ladies wishing to reduce. 409 Burlington Hotel, Telephone 34200. -7939

LADY gives general massage, 3-8 p.m. 147 Rue Paul Henry, Apartment 14. Third Floor, Telephone 77327. -7913

Houses and Land

3½ mow of land in French Concession. Ideal for industrial purposes. Address Box 3781, NCDN. -8167

$20,000 or thereabout, cash, wanted to buy detached house, 5 rooms, modern conveniences, small garden, garage, in residential district, preferably French Concession. Box 3800, NCDN. 15547

Summer Resorts

ILTIS Huk, Tsingtao. Beautiful fully-furnished four-roomed bungalow, one minute beach, Nice garden. $750 season. Quiet, safe. Box 3794, NCDN. 15546

TSINGTAO, Pension Hentschel (German Guest House), 44 First Kinkow Road. Beautiful view to the sea, five minutes to the beach. First-class board, moderate prices. Address Box 3449, N.C.D.N. -7517

PEI-TAI-HO, Kurhaus Hotel open from June 15. On parle français. Exquisite cuisine. Large airy rooms. Apply F. W. Schmitz, Poppe Road 56A. Tientsin. -7471

TSINGTAO, Pension Victoria, 9 First Kinkow Road. Single and double rooms, flats. Beautiful sea view, excellent food. Special navy rates. Telephone 36105, from 12-2, Shanghai. 15466

LAOSHAN (Waterfall District). To let, comfortable rooms, with board. Refrigerator, modern plumbing, sanitation. Private swimming pool, sandy beach, on premises. Apply Mrs. Porter, Post Office Box 3, Laoshan, Tsingtao. 14920

TSINGTAO, Villa Dold. Situated amidst pines, overlooking sea, 1 minute to either Strand or German Beach, excellent cuisine, all modern conveniences. Mrs. B. Dold, Post Office Box 217, Tsingtao. -7261

TSINGTAO, Iltis-Huk, former "Bel-Air." Rooms with board in modern furnished house, with large roof-garden. Excellent cuisine. Reasonable prices. Apply Baranovsky 850 Avenue Joffre. -7618

Furnished Houses

FURNISHED three/four-roomed house, French Concession, modern conveniences, available to responsible foreign party only. To view telephone 13035. 15544

Unfurnished Houses

MODERN detached house, western district, seven rooms, two baths, two garages, central heating, large garden, safe, quiet location, rental $175. Address Box 3774, NCDN. -8152

FOR RENT, by owner, ten-roomed house, large garden, servants' quarters, garage. Ten minutes from St. George's. Box 3771, NCDN. -8149

Rooms with Board

TOP floor, two large rooms, bath, excellent food. 2 Kelmscott Gardens, Reference. Telephone 72425. -8169

14A Kelmscott Gardens. Room with private bathroom. Quiet house. Telephone 74810. -8172

LARGE room with verandah, private bathroom, facing garden. 335 Rue Bourgeat, Mrs. Eriksen. -8086

Offices, Shops, Godowns

CONCRETE building suitable store-room/factory, adjoining big house, garden, at 103 Ford Lane, Yangtszepoo. Cheap rental. Apply Savul Company, Telephone 17735. -8186

HONGKONG & Shanghai Bank Building and Wayfoong House; Office space to let. Apply Engineers' office Room 110, 12 The Bund. 15053

TO LET, large and small modern office space in the Chartered Bank Building. 18 The Bund. Space arranged to suit tenants' requirements. Apply Eric Davies, Room 214, Chartered Bank Building. Telephone 15874. 15012

Wanted to Rent

WANTED unfurnished flat of one/two rooms or a small house. State terms and location. Address Box 3782, NCDN. -8169

WANTED, five or six-roomed modern house, with garden and garage. Will buy over fittings. Address Box 3744, NCDN. -8072

SINGLE man wishes to rent for three or four months, small fully-furnished strictly modern apartment. French Concession or western district. Address Box 3762, NCDN. 15511

Furnished Apartments

TO LET, Bijou Apartments, 278 Hardoon Road, steamheated one and two-roomed apartments, furnished or unfurnished, with bath and kitchenette. Independent entrances. From $65 upwards. Also at 354 Seymour Road. Apply Caretaker or telephone 34477. 15537

ONE beautifully furnished large studio-apartment, western district. All modern conveniences. Garage. One year (or more) lease $137. Furniture to be taken over at reasonable price. Telephone 21477. 15508

TO sublet furnished three-roomed flat. All modern conveniences. 378 Avenue Du Roi Albert. Telephone 73206. -8139

Unfurnished Apartments

MODERN three-roomed apartment, rent includes taxes, water, heating, refrigerator. Fixtures, lease to be taken over. 1054/2 Yu Yuen Road. -8146

EXCEPTIONALLY attractive and cool five-room apartment in Brookside Apartments, 433 Avenue Haig to let furnished or unfurnished to responsible party. For Particulars, apply to Elliott Hazzard, Agent, 33 Szechuen Road, Telephone 10117. -8098

TO LET, four-roomed apartment with all conveniences. Route Dupleix, corner Route Ferguson. Telephone 73173. -7992

700 Avenue Petain, five-roomed apartment, two bathrooms, available July 1. Apply Credit Foncier, Telephone 16366. 15492

DESIRABLE two-room apartments with dining alcove overlooking garden. Rent inclusive of taxes, heat, water, refrigerator, servant's room and boxroom. Open for inspection at any time. For further particulars telephone 18625. 15512

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Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GDYNIA

Laomedon	28/6	17/8

From LIVERPOOL

Menelaus	4/6	15/7
Lycaon	18/6	30/7

From LONDON

Bhutan	25/6	8/8

From HAMBURG

Talabot	30/6	8/8
Gneisenau	9/7	12/8

From ROTTERDAM

Neckar	23/6	31/7
Rheinland	17/6	3/8

From MARSEILLES

J. Laborde	10/6	8/7

From MALTA

Rawalpindi	27/6	24/7

From GENOA

Siam	22/6	4/8

From TRIESTE

C. Verde	16/6	10/7

From PORT SAID

Aeneas	24/6	23/7

From SUEZ

Potsdam	20/6	10/7
Titan	21/6	20/7
Sauerland	17/6	22/7

From ADEN

Ranpura	20/6	10/7

From PORT SUDAN

Taronga	20/6	12/7

From COLOMBO

Donau	21/6	8/7
Ranpura	27/6	10/7
Bangalore	25/6	11/7

From KARACHI

Fusijama	11/6	7/7

From MACASSAR

Tjinegara	20/6	4/7

From SINGAPORE

Teiresias	24/6	4/7
Duisburg	23/6	7/7
Menestheus	28/6	9/7

From MANILA

Foylebank	17/6	28/6

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK

Niel Maersk	11/5	28/6
Malayan Pr.	—	30/6
C. Singapore	17/5	11/7
Hopecastle	25/5	15/7
Taybank	6/6	27/7
Silveryew	23/6	8/8
C. Evansville	17/6	13/8
Clytoneus	27/6	16/8

From HAMPTON ROADS

Muncaster C.	16/6	28/7

From SEATTLE

Tyndareus	27/6	30/7

From LOS ANGELES

Phemius	15/6	14/7

From YOKOHAMA

Ranchi	28/6	4/7

From OTARU

Somali	28/6	12/7

From KOBE

Hindenburg	24/6	15/7

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From L. MARQUES

Erica	—	29/6

From DURBAN

Tegelberg	21/6	24/7

From RABAUL

Nellore	26/6	10/7

From MELBOURNE

Tanda	2/7	7/8

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN

Tjisaroea	26/6	28/6
Hoten M.	26/6	29/6
Dairen M.	28/6	1/7

From TIENTSIN

Fooshing	—	30/6
Yatshing	—	3/7
Kwaisang	—	3/7
Chekiang	30/6	3/7

From TONGKU

Hunan	25/6	29/6
Shuntien	28/6	1/7
Shengking	1/7	4/7

From TSINGTAO

Autolycus	28/6	2/7
Ajax	18/6	9/7

From SWATOW

Kiangsu	25/6	28/6

From HONGKONG

Sandviken	—	29/6
Shantung	25/6	29/6
Chungking	25/6	29/6
Taiyuan	26/6	30/6
Taiseunhong	—	1/7
Soochow	28/6	2/7
Tsinan	29/6	3/7
Kaying	1/7	5/7

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

CHAKSANG June 28. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, June 28, at 11 a.m. Passenger tender leaves Customs Jetty 10 a.m. Tuesday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 28-6

HECTOR June 28. WEIHAIWEI, TAKU BAR, TSINGTAO and JAPAN PORTS. For freight and passage apply to Blue Funnel Line Agents, Butterfield & Swire. Tel. 82020. 28-6

BREMERHAVEN June 29. TIENTSIN.—For freight apply to Melchers & Co., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15565. 29-6

FAUSANG June 29. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, June 29, at 11 a.m. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 29-6

HUNAN June 30. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Thursday, June 30, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 30-6

SANDVIKEN June 30. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, June 30, at 4.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 30-6

TAI SEUN HONG July 3. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, July 3. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 3-7

SOUTH CHINA COAST

CHANGON July 28. HONGKONG.—Sails from Buoys Nos. 23 and 24 on Tuesday, June 28. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 28-6

KINGYUAN June 28. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Tuesday, June 28, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 28-6

HOIHOW June 29. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Wednesday, June 29, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 29-6

Vessels Leaving

SOUTH CHINA COAST

TJISAROEA June 30. HONGKONG and MANILA.—The J.C.J.L. ss. Tjisaroea sails on Thursday, June 30th from Holt's Wharf, Pootung to Hongkong and Manila direct. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 30-6

FOOSHING July 1. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Friday, July 1, at p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 1-7

TAIYUAN July 1. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Friday, July 1, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 30-6

KIANGSU July 2. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, July 2, at 2 p.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 2-7

STRAITS AND EUROPE

PEIPING July 1. TRIPOLI, ALGIERS, ORAN, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co. Ltd.'s m.s. Peiping will leave Shanghai on or about July 1, for the above mentioned ports. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bs/L. For freight and passage, please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies Ltd., 170 Kiangse Road, Hamilton House. Tel. 11330. 1-7

AUTOLYCUS July 4. CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and MIDDLESBROUGH via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 4-7

ATHOS II July 5. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 5-7

MEERKERK July 5. PORT SAID, GENOA, ANTWERP, (Loading on July 4.) ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN.—The Holland East Asia Line ss. Meerkerk sails from Shanghai on July 5. For passage and freight apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., General Agents, Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 5-7

RANCHI July 5. MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 5-7

COBURG July 8. PORT SUDAN, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, BREMEN via HONGKONG, KOHSICHANG, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 8-7

AJAX July 9. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW via ADEN.—For freight and passage apply Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 9-7

CITY OF DERBY July 9. HAVRE, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW, on July 9, 1938. The Ellerman Line steamer City of Derby is due to sail for HAVRE, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW on July 9, 1938. Lacey & Cannan, Ltd. Tel. 12854 (3 lines). 9-7

AMERICA

ANNA MAERSK July 1. LOS ANGELES and via PANAMA to NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, SAVANNAH and NORFOLK.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., Agents, Maersk Line, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 1-7

AUSTRALASIA

NANKIN July 2. (From Hongkong) SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co. Ltd., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 2-7

TAIPING July 15. (From Hongkong) MANILA, THURSDAY I., CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE.—Australian-Oriental Line Ltd., Agents, Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 15-6

Vessels Discharging

NALDERA. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Naldera, from London and Ports, bringing Cargo ex s.s. Somali, from London, s.s Hontestroom and Amstelstroom, from Amsterdam, s.s. Plover, from Boulogue-sur-mer, s.s. Hermia, from Hamburg, s.s. Criole, from Havre, s.s. Grane, from Bordeaux and s.s. Irrawadi, from Mangalore.—This steamer is berthing at Nos. 11-12 Buoys and her cargo will be discharged at the Pootung Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of shipdamaged cargo will be held at the Pootung Wharf on Saturday, July 2, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 28-6

Post Office Notices

Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the below-mentioned closing times.

(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.05 daily).

Date and Destination	Per	Reg.	Ord.
TUESDAY, June 28.			
Foochow	Pipina	*19.00	7.15
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez and Europe	Fushimi M.	*19.00	8.00
Hongkong and Canton	Fushimi M.	7.30	8.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Chaksang	*19.00	8.00
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin	Chaksang	7.30	9.00
Tsingtao and Dairen	Tsingtao M.	8.00	9.30
Amony and Hongkong	Kingyuan	8.00	9.30
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Haimen M. A	—	—
Chefoo and Tientsin	Liwo	16.30	17.00
	Fausang	18.30	19.00
WEDNESDAY, June 29.			
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	*19.00	7.15
Foochow	Prominent	7.30	8.00
Swatow Hongkong Canton	Holhow	9.00	9.30
Hongkong and Canton	Niel Maersk	9.30	10.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Tejo	16.30	17.00
THURSDAY, June 30.			
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	*19.00	7.15
H'lulu U.S.A. (L) Canada (L) and Europe (L)	Nagasaki M.	*19.00	7.15
Tsingtao and Dairen	Hoten M.	8.00	8.30
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Hunan	8.00	9.30
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Hunan	9.00	9.30
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Sandviken	13.30	14.00
Aust. N.Z. Indo-China and Manila	Tjisaroea	14.00	15.00
Hongkong and Canton	Tjisaroea	14.30	15.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Liwo	16.30	17.00
Amony and Hongkong	Taiyuan	18.30	19.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for Nanking, closes at 16.00 on 28th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.
Z Parcel only.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin for transmission. Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:

ss. Fushimi Maru, via Suez, June 28, due London August 2.

ss. Athos II, via Suez, July 4, due London August 4.

ss. Ranchi, via Suez, July 5, due London August 6.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Fushimi Maru, at 8 a.m. on June 28, due Marseilles and London on July 10.

Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco) per ss. Fushimi Maru, at 8 a.m. on June 28, and due San Francisco on July 13.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Fushimi Maru, at 8 a.m. on June 28, and due Amsterdam on July 12, and London on July 13.

Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Line) per available str. to Hongkong for transmission via Saigon.

Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.

Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for Wuhu, Nanking, Chinkiang, Wutsin, Tanyang, Wusih and Wuhsien close daily, at 8.30 p.m.

Light mails for or via River